

ANNUAL REPORTS



OF THE SELECTMEN
AND OTHER TOWN
AND SCHOOL OFFICERS

CHARLESTOWN, N. H.



FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31, 1943

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The Old Stone Grist Mill Built in 1833, on the Site of the First Mill Built in 1744.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Ralph K. Weeks	Moderator
William S. Fairbanks	Town Clerk
Frank W. Hamlin	Treasurer
Walter B. Wood, term expires 1943	Selectman
Ralph K. Weeks, term expires 1944	Selectman
Harry E. Buswell, (deceased) term expires 1945	Selectman
Oscar F. Adams	Overseer of Poor
Eugene C. Nelson	Road Agent
Louis L. Comstock	Tax Collector
Alice E. Adams	Auditor
Arthur C. Moore	Auditor
John L. Nelson	Auditor
Inglis F. Lynch	Chief of Police
Louis L. Comstock	Health Officer
Daniel T. Hoffman, term expires 1943	Coll. Water Commission
Oscar C. Young, term expires 1944	Treas. Water Commission
Guy C. Dodge, term expires 1945	Supt. Water Commission
Helen M. Thayer	Supervisor
Alice E. Adams	Supervisor
Herbert E. Streeter	Supervisor
Hessler T. Gates, term expires 1943	School Board
Charles Snow, Jr., term expires 1944	School Board
Fred H. Perry, term expires 1945	School Board
Walter L. Mason	Supt. of Schools
Oscar C. Young, term expires 1943	Trustee of Trust Funds
Fred H. Perry, term expires 1944	Trustee of Trust Funds
Frank W. Hamlin, term expires 1945	Trustee of Trust Funds
Alice A. Weeks, term expires 1943	Library Trustee
Hugh A. White, term expires 1943	Library Trustee
Martha M. Frizzell, term expires 1944	Library Trustee
Carl A. Perkins, term expires 1944	Library Trustee
Martha C. Clark, term expires 1945	Library Trustee
Frank W. Hamlin, term expires 1945	Library Trustee
Richard H. Perry	Justice of Municipal Court
Charles A. Smith	Asst. Justice of Municipal Court
Harold H. Ward	Chief of Fire Department

Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Charlestown, in the County of Sullivan, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Charlestown on Tuesday the ninth (9th) day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Art. 1. To choose the necessary Town Officers for their respective terms.

Art. 2. To consider the Budget. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the maintenance of the poor, laying out and repairing highways, building and repairing bridges, street lighting, and for the necessary charges arising within the town.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to allow the selectmen to deliver the inventory blanks at the time of taking inventory.

Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow on notes on the credit of the town, such sums of money as may be necessary to meet current expenses in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 5. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the division of municipal accounting and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

Art. 6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for the purpose of co-operating with the State Forestry Department in regard to continuing white pine blister rust control.

Art. 7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$701.51 for Town Road Aid, the State to contribute \$2,806.03; this money to be used to complete the Lover's Lane Road, and the balance to be used to improve other class V roads.

Art. 8. To see what action the town will take in regard to an appropriation for the purpose of advertising the attractions and resources of the town in connection with other towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

Art. 9. To see what action the town will take in regard to appointing a finance committee for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to accept all trust funds received for perpetual care of lots in the cemeteries.

Art. 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$500.00 for the purpose of redecorating the upper town hall. (inserted by request).

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to install a street light on Sullivan Street near the residence of Frank W. Daniels. (inserted by request).

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate

the sum of \$50.00 for the purpose of repairing and painting the band stand. (inserted by request).

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to improve the Borough Road, so called, for one mile and a quarter from the garage at Sky Farm to Arthur Lane's mail box. (inserted by request).

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to extend the sewer system on Taylor Hill approximately 350 feet to accomodate residents of Taylor Hill, and raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$350.00 for the cost of same. (inserted by request).

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$1,700.00 for the purpose of repairing the underpinning of the town hall.

Art. 17. To see what action the town will take in regard to raising the salaries of town officers.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to chlorinate the water supply of the town, and to acquire, construct, install, operate, and maintain a suitable chlorination system or systems therefor.

Art. 19. To authorize and empower the Board of Water Commissioners to procure and acquire for the town, upon such terms as said Board may deem expedient, suitable apparatus and equipment for chlorination of the water supply of the town, and to cause a suitable chlorination system or systems to be constructed, installed and placed in operation, and for said purposes on behalf of the town to enter into such contract or contracts to and with such persons or person as said Board may in its discretion determine, and to do or cause to be done all other acts or things necessary or desirable to accomplish said purposes.

Art. 20. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to acquire, construct, install and operate a suitable chlorination system or systems for the water supply of the town.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to construct a sidewalk with a blacktop surface on Taylor Hill from East Street to the residence of Osborne W. Stevens, and raise and appropriate money for same. (inserted by request).

Art. 22. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto, and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twentieth (20th.) day of February, in the year of our Lord, 1943.

W. B. WOOD, (Seal)

R. K. WEEKS, (Seal)

Selectmen of Charlestown.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

W. B. WOOD,

R. K. WEEKS,

Selectmen of Charlestown.

INVENTORY

Real Estate	\$1,287,535.00
Electric Corporations	327,540.00
95 horses	10,550.00
4 oxen	520.00
500 cows	36,070.00
221 neat stock	10,420.00
56 sheep	475.00
3010 fowls	3,010.00
1 portable mill	500.00
Wood and lumber	1,700.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	3,785.00
Stock in trade	93,015.00
Toll bridge	160,000.00
Mills and machinery	32,175.00
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	\$1,967,295.00
Amount exempted to soldiers	\$ 26,925.00
Amount exempted to blind	\$ 100.00
Tax rate	\$2.65

APPROPRIATED FOR 1942

The Town voted at the annual meeting March 10th, 1942 to raise the following sums:

Town Officers' salaries	\$ 2,200.00
Town Officers' expenses	650.00
Election and registration expenses	450.00
Municipal Court expenses	125.00
Town Hall, care and supplies	900.00
Police Department and care of tramps	500.00

Fire Department	1,200.00
Care of Trees	400.00
Health Department	100.00
Vital Statistics	66.50
Town Road Aid	700.69
Town Maintenance, highways and bridges	7,500.00
Surface Treatment, oil and chloride	1,500.00
Town Construction, Riverview Park Road	1,000.00
Street Lighting	1,950.00
Sewer Maintenance	1,100.00
New Equipment, grader and sidewalk plow	1,800.00
Libraries	700.00
Old Age Assistance	1,800.00
Town Poor	2,000.00
Memorial Day	75.00
Recreation	200.00
Cemeteries	800.00
Insurance	200.00
Interest	200.00
County Tax	8,466.45
School District	27,000.00
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	\$63,583.64
Less cash on hand, poll taxes and estimated receipts, etc.	<hr/>
	12,384.17
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	\$51,199.47
Added tax	13.20
Selectmen added	1,022.59
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1942 tax	\$52,235.26

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures

FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1943

		Appropriation	Expenditures	Unexpended Bal.	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries		\$ 2200.00	\$ 1972.50	\$ 227.50	\$
Town Officers' Expenses		650.00	739.14		89.14
Elec. and Reg. Expenses		450.00	391.20	58.80	
Municipal Court Expenses		125.00	100.00	25.00	
Town Hall	\$900.00				
Receipts	367.00	1267.00	1172.30	94.70	
Police Dept. tramps		500.00	459.83	40.17	
Fire Dept.	\$1,200.00				
Receipts	56.90	1256.90	1304.50		47.60
Care of Trees		400.00	344.10	55.90	
Health Dept.		100.00	70.06	29.94	
Vital Statistics		66.50	69.00		2.50
Town Road Aid		700.69	699.51	1.18	
Town Maintenance					
Highways	\$7,500.00				
Receipts	718.33	8218.33	8184.27	34.06	
Surface Treatment		1500.00	777.54	722.46	
Riverview Park Road		1000.00	527.61	472.39	
Street Lighting		1950.00	1911.00	39.00	
Sewer Maintenance		1100.00	540.51	559.49	
New Equipment		1800.00	1830.00		30.00
Libraries		700.00	700.00		
Old Age Assistance		1800.00	1610.70	189.30	
Town Poor	\$2,000.00				
Rebate	57.15	2057.15	1756.08	301.07	
Memorial Day		75.00	75.00		
Recreation		200.00	64.80	135.20	
Cemeteries		800.00	630.95	169.05	
Insurance		200.00	144.91	55.09	
Interest		200.00	183.43	16.57	
County Tax		8466.45	8466.45		
		\$37783.02	\$34725.39	\$3226.87	\$ 169.24
Net balance of appropriations					3057.63
				\$3226.87	\$3226.87

STATEMENT OF DEBT

JANUARY 31, 1943

Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding
Long Term Notes

	Water System 4% Notes	Total Annual Maturities
1944	\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00
1945	800.00	800.00
1946	800.00	800.00
1947	800.00	800.00
1948	800.00	800.00
1949	800.00	800.00
1950	800.00	800.00
1951	800.00	800.00
1952	800.00	800.00
	<hr/> \$7,200.00	<hr/> \$7,200.00

FINANCIAL REPORT

of the

TOWN OF

CHARLESTOWN

— in —

SULLIVAN COUNTY

for the Fiscal Year Ended

January 31, 1943

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

February 16, 1943.

WALTER B. WOOD,
RALPH K. WEEKS,
Selectmen.

FRANK W. HAMLIN, Treasurer.

Town of Charlestown, N. H.

FINANCIAL REPORT

ASSETS

Cash

In hands of treasurer	\$ 5,514.03	
Treasurer Water Commission	<u>3,696.36</u>	
		\$ 9,210.39

Sinking Funds

Cash belonging to sinking funds	\$ 420.27
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Accounts Due to the Town

Sewer connections	\$ 228.40	
Water rentals	<u>708.13</u>	
		\$ 936.53

Unredeemed Taxes

Levy of 1941	\$ 338.56	
Levy of 1940	403.57	
Previous Years	<u>395.92</u>	
		\$ 1,138.05

Uncollected Taxes

Levy of 1942	<u>\$ 2,839.49</u>
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Total Assets	<u>\$14,544.73</u>
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Grand Total	<u>\$14,544.73</u>
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Net Debt—January 31, 1942	\$ 969.58	
Decrease of Debt	\$ 969.58	
Net Surplus—January 31, 1943		\$ 4,891.68

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town

Due to School Districts

Dog licenses	\$ 453.05	
Balance of Appropriation	<u>2,000.00</u>	
		\$ 2,453.05

Trust Funds, Amount of Principal
Used by Town

Water system notes	<u>\$ 7,200.00</u>
Total Liabilities	\$ 9,653.05
Excess of assets over liabilities	<u>4,891.68</u>
Grand Total	\$14,544.73

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue

From Local Taxes

Total taxes committed		
to collector, 1942	\$54,481.26	
Less uncollected,		
1942	\$ 2,839.49	
Property taxes, current year,		
actually collected	\$49,405.77	
Poll taxes, current year,		
actually collected	2,134.00	
National Bank Stock taxes	102.00	
Total of current year's collections		\$51,641.77
Property and poll taxes, previous		
years, actually collected		5,615.88
Tax sales redeemed		1,155.85

From State

Town Road Aid		
Gas and oil	\$ 166.08	
Trucking sand	7.50	
Recovery Old Age Assistance	115.25	
Interest and dividend tax	3,177.51	
Railroad tax	2,536.30	
Savings bank tax	425.00	
Fighting forest fires	13.90	
		\$ 6,441.54

From Local Sources, Except Taxes

Dog licenses	\$ 530.40	
Licenses	22.00	
Fines, forfeits, municipal court	100.00	
Rent of town property	412.00	
Interest received on taxes	329.55	
Sewers	584.22	
Registration of motor vehicles		
1941-42 permits	9.64	
1942-43 permits	2,615.75	
		\$ 4,603.56
Total Current Revenue Receipts		\$69,458.60

Receipts Other than Current Revenue

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$30,000.00	
Refunds	1,696.04	
Sale of town property	1,970.00	
U. S. A. rent of mill-site	1.34	
Mortgage and interest	273.25	
Filing fees	5.00	
B. & M. R. R., forest fires	43.00	
Town equipment	345.50	
Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue		\$34,334.13
Cash on hand February 1, 1942		2,127.56
Grand Total		\$105,920.29

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government

Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,972.50
Town officers' expenses	739.14
Election, registration expenses	391.20
Municipal court expenses	100.00
Expenses town hall	1,387.11
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\$ 4,589.95

Protection of Persons and Property

Insurance	\$ 144.91
Police department, including care of tramps	459.83
Fire department, including forest fires	1,304.50
Care of trees	344.10
Bounties	8.20
Damage by dogs	77.35
Liability insurance	20.12
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\$ 2,359.01

Health

Health department	\$ 70.06
Vital statistics	69.00
Sewer maintenance	540.51
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\$ 679.57

Highways and Bridges

Town Road Aid	\$ 699.51
Town Maintenance,	
Summer	\$5,509.55
Winter	\$2,674.72
Street lighting	1,911.00
Surface treatment	777.54
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\$11,572.32

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Libraries		\$ 700.00
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Public Welfare

Old age assistance	\$ 1,610.70	
Town poor	1,756.08	
Secured aid	1,366.34	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,733.12

Patriotic Purposes		\$ 442.30
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Recreation

Swimming pool		\$ 64.80
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Public Service Enterprises

Winding town clock	\$ 50.00	
Cemeteries	630.95	
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Unclassified

Paid for trustees of trust funds	\$ 815.61	
Damages and legal expenses	242.01	
Taxes bought by town	584.21	
Auto permits	195.00	
Abatements	78.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,915.08

Total Current Maintenance Expenses		\$27,737.10
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Interest

Paid on temporary loans		
in anticipation of taxes	\$ 183.43	
Paid on principal of trust funds		
used by towns	288.00	
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Total Interest Payments		\$ 471.43
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Outlay for New Construction

Highways

Town construction	\$ 527.61	
New equipment	1,830.00	
Total Outlay Payments		\$ 2,357.61

Indebtedness

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$30,000.00
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Payments to Other Governmental
Divisions

Taxes paid to County	\$ 8,466.45	
Payments to School Districts	31,374.52	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		\$39,840.97
Total Payments for All Purposes		\$100,407.11
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		\$100,406.26
Cash on hand January 31, 1943		5,514.03
Grand Total		\$105,920.29

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$ 25,000.00
Furniture and equipment	1,000.00
Libraries, land and buildings	10,000.00
Furniture and equipment	4,000.00
Police Department, equipment	100.00
Fire Department, land and buildings	3,000.00
Equipment	4,000.00
Highway Department, land and buildings	3,000.00
Equipment	5,000.00
Water supply	70,000.00
Sewers and drains	20,000.00
Schools, land and buildings	50,000.00
Equipment	4,500.00
All lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collectors' deeds	
Clifford Wilson	150.00
Byron H. O'Brien	250.00
Other Property	
Charles Kinson	100.00
50 acres G. L. Richardson lot	200.00
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	\$200,300.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Walter B. Wood, Selectman	\$ 400.00
Ralph K. Weeks, Selectman	400.00
Harry E. Buswell, Selectman	200.00
Frank W. Hamlin, Treasurer	100.00
William S. Fairbanks, Town Clerk	100.00
Louis L. Comstock, Tax Collector	350.00
Louis L. Comstock, Health Officer	50.00
Oscar F. Adams, Overseer of Poor	150.00
Frank W. Hamlin, Chairman Trustee of Trustee Funds 1941-1942	100.00
Harold H. Ward, Chief of Fire Department	50.00
Alice E. Adams, Auditor	25.00
Arthur C. Moore, Auditor	25.00
Leon H. Barry, Auditor	22.50
	\$ 1,972.50

Town Officers' Expenses

William Miller Son Co., town reports	\$ 216.25
Ira G. Colby, Attorney 1941-1942	75.00
Wheeler and Clark, record books, tax books, etc.	36.13
Kimball's Inc., office supplies	2.03
U. S. Auto Guide, auto manual	4.85
Geo. D. Nourse, office supplies	6.06
Hamlin Dept. Store, office supplies	.73
Association N. H. Assessors, dues	2.00
Conn. River National Bank, safety deposit box	4.80
B. M. S. McWilliams, probate list	1.00
Clinton K. Barton, transfers, recording, etc.	45.94
Louis L. Comstock, printing and postage	40.70
Wm. S. Fairbanks, notifying jurors	4.00
Wm. S. Fairbanks, expense, town clerk meeting	16.10
Perry & Willard, town officers' bonds	110.00

Harry E. Buswell, attending meeting, meals	7.15
Ralph K. Weeks, attending tax comm. meeting	5.00
Ralph K. Weeks, mileage	45.50
Walter B. Wood, copying tax book	8.00
Walter B. Wood, mileage	37.50
New England Telephone Co., telephone	25.55
D. V. Cahalane, stamps	26.00
Gertrude Cahalane, stamps	18.85
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	\$ 739.14

Election and Registration Expenses

Ralph K. Weeks, Moderator	\$ 30.00
Alice E. Adams, supervisor	57.00
Helen P. Thayer, supervisor	57.00
Daniel T. Hoffman, supervisor	57.00
Daniel T. Hoffman, dinner for moderator	.50
Fred W. Huntley, ballot clerk	30.00
Wm. Miller, Jr., ballot clerk	30.00
Leon H. Barry, ballot clerk	30.00
Arthur M. Lane, ballot clerk	30.00
Wm. S. Fairbanks, election officer	15.00
Harry E. Buswell, election officer	5.00
Walter B. Wood, election officer	15.00
Louis L. Comstock, ballots and notices	29.50
Flora Perra, meals for moderator	2.70
Edson C. Eastman Co., tally sheets	2.50
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	\$ 391.20

Town Hall

Adams & Adams Agency, fire insurance	\$ 48.00
Perry & Willard, fire insurance	208.80
Perry & Willard, public liability insurance	67.50
Nelson-Warner Co., coal	87.85
C. A. Perkins, coal	191.20
The Green Co., wood	17.50
Harry E. Buswell, janitor	116.90
Milton Morell, janitor	260.38

A. H. Streeter, stove pipe, material, labor	22.70
Hamlin Dept. Store, dustbane, supplies	18.16
Harold H. Ward, step-ladder	5.00
Everett M. Gay, labor, material	20.55
Ernest C. Stanley, repairing seats	3.00
Granite State Electric Co., lights	104.76
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	\$ 1,172.30
Rent for 1942	367.00
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	\$ 805.30

Cleaning and Painting Lower Town Hall

Fred L. Hutchins, labor, painting	\$ 40.50
William Rowe, labor, painting	45.70
Wellesley Shaw, cleaning, painting	31.50
Robert Spaulding, cleaning, painting	17.10
Roger Weeks, cleaning	9.60
William Brown, cleaning	7.60
Hamlin Dept. Store, paint, oil, supplies	62.81
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	\$ 214.81
Received from Charlestown Grange No. 204	100.00
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	\$ 114.81

The Grange also installed the blackout curtains and fixtures at a cost of \$34.04

Police Department

Everett M. Gay, Chief of Police	\$ 53.50
Rolla F. Smith, Chief of Police	138.10
Rolla F. Smith, mileage	50.80
Inglis F. Lynch, Chief of Police	56.90
Eugene C. Howard, police duty	36.50
Lee W. Warren, police duty	8.00
Harold H. Ward, police duty	7.00
J. F. Frohock, police duty	5.00

Walter E. Welch, police duty	3.15
Perry & Willard, workmen's liability insurance	7.80
Howard Hardware Co., police club	2.33

\$ 369.08

Tramp Account

Everett M. Gay, 88 tramps	\$ 22.00
Rolla F. Smith, 169 tramps	42.25
Inglis F. Lynch, 58 tramps	none
Nelson-Warner Co., wood	16.00
Louise A. Hayes, wood	10.50

\$ 90.75

Fire Department

Perry & Willard, liability insurance	\$ 55.00
Perry & Willard, fire insurance	25.00
Adams & Adams Agency, insurance on trucks	117.30
F. G. Kimball, State Treasurer, Firemen's retirement system	66.00
C. A. Perkins, coal	108.12
Sinclair Refining Co., gas	23.74
Charlestown Garage, batteries, material, labor	103.66
Harold H. Ward, repairs	.75
U. S. Rubber Co., fire hose	254.80
Hamlin Dept. Store, supplies	1.19
William Miller Son Co., printing cards	2.50
New England Telephone Co., telephone	42.35
Granite State Electric Co., lights	12.20
Wm. E. Burns, Steward	53.70
Harold H. Ward, Forest Fire Warden	
South Charlestown forest fire	8.00
C. T. Murray	23.20
Harry Caine	7.80
Harry E. Buswell, Deputy Forest Fire Warden	
Chester Haselton forest fire	7.20
M. J. McCarthy	20.60
Harry E. Buswell, Secretary	
Roberts Block alarm fire	44.25

James Moir	grass fire	15.00
B. & M. R. R.		4.00
Wm. Rowe		7.00
D. V. Cahalane		11.00
Vernon Hause		4.00
Lynch tenement	chimney fire	1.00
Masonic Hall		4.00
Gerald Kinson		2.00
Comstock tenement		2.00
O. S. Stearns		2.00
F. L. Henshaw		3.00
Samuel Smith		2.00
Melvin T. Fontaine, Secretary		
Frank Mayette	alarm fire	22.75
William Miller Son Co.	false alarm fire	16.00
Wood	auto fire	16.00
Ernst Rosenquest	grass fire	3.00
Dr. Freer	rubbish fire	1.00
Samuel Smith	hay truck fire	9.25
Barlow	auto fire	4.14
Walter E. Arnold, Secretary		
Rolla Smith	alarm fire	2.00
Grace Haddad		10.00
Rowe building	false alarm fire	11.00
Stewart place	grass fire	2.00
Geo. Webster		2.00
F. Belczak	chimney fire	3.00
Geo. Olden		3.00
Ralph Whitney	two chimney fires	7.25
Sarah Fisk	chimney fire	5.25
F. W. Huntley		5.50
Charles Carter		3.00
Hedges		2.00
Sherwood cottage		2.00
Dr. Seale		2.00
Everett Gay		2.00

Lyndon Brown	2.00
Emile Beaudry	2.00
Salaries, 22 firemen	132.00
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	\$ 1,304.50

Received from—

B. & M. R. R., for forest fire	\$ 43.00	
State of N. H., for Haselton fire	3.60	
State of N. H., for McCarthy fire	10.30	
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	\$ 56.90	
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	\$ 1,247.60	

Sewer Maintenance

Guy C. Dodge, Superintendent	\$ 65.80
Guy C. Dodge, mileage	9.20
Guy C. Dodge, rubber gloves, freight	1.85
Walter Russell, labor	117.00
Dayton Russell, labor	99.50
Dayton Russell, mileage	.16
Edward Chapman, labor	2.50
Highway Department, thawing catch basins	5.00
Vernon W. Morse, labor, material	2.50
James Bacon, truck, cleaning sewers	54.00
C. A. Perkins, trucking	1.00
Perry & Willard, workmen's liability insurance	26.60
Inglis F. Lynch, brick	12.00
Nelson-Warner Co., cement, tools	6.18
Nelson-Warner Co., tile	63.00
A. H. Streeter, labor, material	6.80
Hamlin Dept. Store, oil	.90
Charlestown Garage, repairs	7.50
Johnson, Barker Co., sewer tools, jute	14.24
Vt. Foundries, Inc., sewer grate and frame	17.03
William Miller Son Co., sewer regulation books	25.00
Louis L. Comstock, labor sheets	2.75
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	\$ 540.51

Health Department

Dr. Oscar C. Young, vaccinations	\$ 22.50
Dr. Oscar C. Young, scarlet fever case	5.00
Dr. Paul C. Willard, vaccinations	35.75
Louis L. Comstock, express, milk, ice	6.81
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	\$ 70.06

Town Poor Account

Oscar F. Adams, Overseer, from Selectmen	\$ 1,754.08
Dr. H. C. Sanders, ointment	2.00
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	\$ 1,756.08
Oscar F. Adams, refund	57.15
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	\$ 1,698.93

Old Age Assistance

Amount paid by Department of Public Welfare to persons receiving Old Age Assistance	\$ 6,442.70
State of New Hampshire, 25% paid by Town	\$ 1,610.70

Street Lights

Granite State Electric Co.	\$ 1,665.00
Central Vt. Public Service Corp.	246.00
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	\$ 1,911.00

Cemeteries

Forest Hill Cemetery

Frank D. Dunham, Sexton	\$ 156.60
Frank D. Dunham, burial account	33.00
George Hart labor	41.00
Horace Russell	31.95
Clarence Jardine	21.60
George Wright	16.40
Wm. Blanchard	2.70
Clayton P. Stearns, mowing grass	1.50

Adams & McNichol, resetting stones	5.00	
A. H. Streeter, labor, material	9.48	
Perry & Willard, workmen's liability insurance	3.12	
		\$ 322.35

Hope Hill Cemetery

Thomas P. McMahon, Sexton	\$ 255.20	
Thomas P. McMahon, burial account	6.00	
Ralph Colby, labor	26.40	
George L. Lombard, trucking	15.00	
		\$ 302.60

St. Catherine's Cemetery

Mary E. Burns, burial account	\$ 6.00	
		\$ 630.95

Trustees of Trust Funds

Frank D. Dunham, perpetual care cemetery lots	\$ 452.61	
Thomas P. McMahon, perpetual care cemetery lots	82.50	
Mary E. Burns, perpetual care cemetery lots	29.40	
Alfred Scranton, perpetual care cemetery lots	1.80	
Albert Bashaw, perpetual care cemetery lots	1.80	
Adams & McNichol, resetting stones	15.00	

Widows Fund—

Ida Bashaw	\$ 15.50
Sadie Williams	15.50
Elizabeth Stearns	15.50
Mary Demars	15.50
Margaret Pecor	15.50
Gladys Loveland	15.50
Edith Straw	15.50
Fannie Nash	15.50
Cora Spencer	15.50
Lenora Hilliard	15.50

Mattie Royce	15.50
Ethel Pierce	15.50
Louise Chesley	15.50
Colby	15.50
Grace Titus	15.50

\$ 232.50

\$ 815.61

Received from Trustees of Trust Funds \$ 815.61

Libraries

Frank W. Hamlin, Treasurer \$ 700.00

Town Road Aid

State of New Hampshire \$ 699.51

Surface Treatment

Nelson-Warner Co., 3 tons calcium chloride	\$ 64.50
Solvay Sales Corp., 18 tons calcium chloride	383.13
Independent Coal Tar Co., cold patch	46.62
State of New Hampshire, road oil (Lovers Lane)	283.29
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	\$ 777.54

New Equipment

Arnold Fish, caterpillar tractor	\$ 200.00
Casellini-Venable Corp., Allis-Chalmers grader	1,600.00
Sinclair Refining Co., 550 gal. gas tank, pump	30.00
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	\$ 1,830.00

Municipal Court

Richard H. Perry, Justice \$ 100.00

Insurance

Adams & Adams Agency, liability insurance on trucks	\$ 54.40
Adams & Adams Agency, fire insurance on trucks	21.06
Perry & Willard, insurance on town garage	40.00
Perry & Willard, additional liability insurance premium	29.45
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	\$ 144.91

Care of Trees

F. A. Bartlett Tree Expert Co., taking down and pruning trees	\$ 300.00
Eugene C. Nelson trucking trees and brush	9.90
Ralph F. Royce	9.90
Geo. M. Holden	8.10
Daniel Blood	8.10
William Slater	8.10
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	\$ 344.10

Dog Damage and Expense

Ruth Porter, fowls killed	\$ 10.00
Fannie Nash, fowls killed	8.00
Rolla F. Smith, collecting dog taxes, mileage	38.60
Louis L. Comstock, printing notice cards	3.00
Wheeler & Clark, license tags, record books	17.75
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	\$ 77.35

Patriotic Purposes

Ednah S. Hammond, Memorial Day	\$ 75.00
Ednah S. Hammond, flag	7.10
Frank D. Dunham, care of monument grounds	7.00
Milton Morell, tending flag	55.80
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	\$ 144.90

War Emergency Account

William Miller Son Co., air raid regulations	3.50
New Haven Mattress Mfg. Co., stretcher canvas	3.70
Geo. D. Nourse, first aid supplies	3.45
Paul C. Willard, first aid supplies	4.50
Wm. S. Fairbanks, first aid supplies	8.95
Howard Barber, first aid cabinet	2.03
Hamlin Dept. Store, 30 yds. cloth	5.70
Fenton & Hennessey, 8 blackout shades	3.92
Eugene C. Nelson collecting scrap	136.40
Ralph F. Royce	100.50
Geo. M. Holden	20.70
Daniel Blood	4.05
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	\$ 297.40
Received from Mr. A. H. Sayce, Chairman of Defense Committee, for sale of scrap	153.00
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	\$ 144.40

Vital Statistics

Wm. S. Fairbanks, Town Clerk	\$ 43.50
Dr. B. P. Haubrich	.50
C. A. Stearns	.75
John A. Stewart	1.25
Henry Wildman	.25
Paul C. Wiliard	1.75
Oscar C. Young	6.00
B. R. Lewin	1.00
E. G. Hebb	.75
R. H. Brooks	.50
R. C. Fuller	.75
A. H. Kendall	.25
F. X. Dufault	.25
R. W. Ballantyne	.25
H. C. Sanders	.75
C. C. Stewart	.25
F. E. Mason	.25

Dr. H. T. French	.25
E. V. Reynolds	.25
Walter H. Lacey	.25
M. H. Rodofsky	.25
Rev. J. J. McCarthy	1.25
T. W. Cushing	.50
T. S. Hansbury	.25
C. S. Haynes	.25
W. F. Pendergast	.50
C. B. Chapman	.25
F. H. Miller	.25
C. L. Carter	.25
A. A. Brown	.25
D. R. Child	.50
Louis C. Reed	.50
A. B. Lorimer	.25
A. L. Massicotte	.25
Walter A. Smith	.25
A. P. Watson	.25
Richard H. Perry	.25
Louis L. Comstock, birth certificate	4.00
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	\$ 69.00

Property Bought for 1941 Taxes

Austin, Ira E.	\$ 19.83
Arnold, Walter E.	72.28
Benware, Harry	10.63
Berlanger, Geo. W. & Blanche M.	40.98
Bashaw, Edwin P. & Eva L.	6.07
Ferland, Donat & Bertha A.	94.25
Heath, Lewis A.	81.30
Royce, Leroy J.	35.81
Wilcox, Frank	8.47
Diggins, Frank T.	65.98
Farrwell, Ball & White	10.98
Glazier, Perry E. & Maurice M.	18.90
Graves, Russell G.	9.45

Kiniry, Kate	7.92
Mousley, Doris B.	90.38
Stearns, Jesse M. Adm.	10.98
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	\$ 584.21

Albert E. Smith Account

Granite State Electric Co., lights	\$ 2.08
Central Market, provisions	40.25
D. T. Hoffman, water rent	3.38
Dr. Paul C. Willard, medical attendance	4.50
Louis L. Comstock, auction bills	3.00
Sullivan County Home, board and care	2.86
Stoughton Funeral Home	280.00
F. D. Dunham, opening grave	12.00
Edwin A. Morrill, Auctioneer	10.00
Ira G. Colby, Attorney	8.00
Charles Snow, Jr., trucking furniture	5.00
Charles White, moving furniture	2.10
Robert Kinson, moving furniture	2.55
Conn. River National Bank, revenue stamp	2.20
F. G. Kimball, State Treasurer, interitance tax	63.62
W. Guy Smith, heir	342.40
Ralph O. Young, heir	342.40
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	\$ 1,126.34

Statement of Albert E. Smith Property

1938, expended	\$ 3.17
1939, expended	100.40
1940, expended	145.50
1941, expended	452.74
1942, expended	379.17
Property taxes 1937-1942 inclusive	245.59
Headstone for cemetery lot	60.00
Inheritance tax	63.62
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	\$ 1,450.19
Less rent of property	165.00
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	\$ 1,285.19

This property was sold at public auction	
in April to Charles A. Smith for	\$ 1,970.00
Total expense of Albert E. Smith	1,285.19

Balance	\$ 684.81
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The balance of his estate was paid to
his heirs as follows:

May 23, 1942, W. Guy Smith, brother	\$ 342.40
May 23, 1942, Ralph O. Young, nephew	342.40
	\$ 684.80

Charles Kinson Account

Charles H. Kinson, amount paid	\$ 240.00
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Recreation

William Carter, guard at pool	\$ 49.80
Vernon W. Morse, labor and material	15.00
	\$ 64.80

Doris B. Mousley Lawsuit

Charles H. Green Sheep Case

Howard H. Hamlin, Attorney	\$ 25.00
E. B. Monta, Sheriff, court expense	17.37
Chas. H. Green, witness fee and mileage	6.00
Harrison Wilson, witness fee and mileage	6.12
W. B. Wood, witness fee and mileage	5.52
R. K. Weeks, witness fee and mileage	6.00
	\$ 66.01

Unclassified

Wm. S. Fairkanks, auto permits	\$ 195.00
Lucia R. Davidson, winding town clock	50.00
Perry & Willard, liability insurance,	
Water Commission	15.12
Perry & Willard, loss constant	5.00
H. E. Buswell, bounties paid	2.40
R. K. Weeks, bounties paid	2.20
W. B. Wood, bounties paid	3.60
	\$ 273.32

Indebtedness Paid

Lincoln R. Young Co., temporary loan	\$30,000.00
Lincoln R. Young Co., interest on temporary loan	183.43
Cemetery Trust Funds, interest on water system notes	288.00
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	\$30,471.43
Received from Oscar C. Young Treasurer of Water Commission, for interest on Cemetery Trust Fund notes	\$ 288.00

County Tax

County of Sullivan, County tax	\$ 8,466.45
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Abatement of Taxes

Louis L. Comstock, Collector	
Byron H. O'Brien, deeded to Town	\$ 7.25
Robert Farman, error	53.00
Poll taxes not collectable	18.00
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	\$ 78.25

Schools

Frank W. Hamlin, Treasurer, paid School District	\$31,374.52
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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Eugene C. Nelson, Agent

Winter

Eugene C. Nelson, Agent	\$	532.10
Eugene C. Nelson, wood		13.50
Ralph F. Royce, truck driver		646.95
Geo. M. Holden, grader driver and labor		356.80
Daniel Blood labor		18.50
Arthur M. Lane		3.00
Leland Stanley		7.20
Thomas P. McMahon		20.80
Melvin Bashaw		3.60
Albert Bashaw		3.60
Norman Benware		6.75
Herbert Knight		10.35
Wm. Blanchard		39.60
Lewis Russell		26.80
Walter Russell		55.38
Horace Russell		32.23
Dayton Russell		10.58
Harold Royce		7.60
H. E. Buswell, sanding		11.00
Joseph Trybulski plowing roads		52.05
Helen Fedelski		17.00
Vernon W. Morse		10.60
Edward Nelson plowing walks		15.10
Arnold Fish		12.00
Ralph Bashaw		3.00
Olin S. Stearns		4.50
Roy Smith, sand		9.20
Samuel Smith, sand		10.60
Nelson-Warner Co., salt		74.40
Casellini-Venable Corp., plow blades		50.02
Sinclair Refining Co., gas		76.50
Sinclair Refining Co., anti-freeze		21.60

O'Connor Bros., gas and oil	248.77
J. A. Shepherd, gas	3.05
Young's Service Station, kerosene	2.20
Charlestown Garage, garage bill	257.79
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	\$ 2,674.72

Summer

Eugene C. Nelson, Agent	\$ 700.15
Ralph F. Royce, truck driver	827.03
Geo. M. Holden, grader driver and labor	605.25
Daniel Blood labor	264.60
Wm. Blanchard	235.55
Edward G. Merrill	101.75
Milton Gray	209.25
Alfred Scranton	123.75
H. Knight	110.25
Horace Russell	90.90
Walter Russell	76.50
Dayton Russell	31.05
Lewis Russell	4.50
Albert Bashaw	123.30
Melvin Bashaw	8.10
Wilfred Bashaw	50.40
Everett Benware	30.15
Henry Benware	9.00
Haskell Benware	12.00
Harold Snow	12.00
William Slater	53.10
Frank LaForge	25.65
Ralph Colby	29.25
M. Blake	10.35
Samuel Smith	4.50
Harold Royce	11.25
Harry Carter	2.25
Richard Huntley	1.80
Harry Buswell	.80
Fred Carman, shovel	45.00

Fred Carman, truck	23.25
George Blake, truck	27.00
Harold H. Ward, truck	13.50
Ralph K. Weeks, use of lime spreader	4.00
Leon E. Kemp, sawing wood	6.00
Lewis A. Nelson, bridge plank, dim. lumber	104.41
Perry & Willard, workmen's compensation insurance	168.35
L. L. Comstock, printing road signs	3.50
Charlestown Garage, tires, tubes, garage bill	368.09
Independent Coal Tar Co., patch	46.80
Nelson-Warner Co., tools, paint, cement, etc.	53.44
Casellini-Venable Co., tools, blades, culvert	68.71
Rand, Ball & King, pruning saws, blades	9.95
A. H. Streeter, wire, iron, labor	2.60
John C. Crowley, electrical work, material	17.44
International Sales Inc., spring leaf	2.37
Boston & Maine, R. R., freight	19.98
Sinclair Refining Co., gas	412.45
Sinclair Refining Co., oil	35.80
O'Connor Bros., gas	177.60
Hamlin Dept. Store, kerosene, hardware	5.64
Young's Service Station, kerosene, gas, wiper	4.20
J. A. Shepherd, kerosene	1.50
Granite State Electric Co., lights	13.04
Town of Springfield, gravel	80.50
Alfred C. Smith, gravel	24.00
Bert Wallace, gravel	6.00
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	\$ 5,509.55
Total Winter and Summer accounts	\$ 8,184.27

Receipts—

State Treasurer, trucking sand	\$	7.50
State Treasurer, TRA gas, oil		166.08
Ralph F. Royce	refund	140.75
Henry Benware	refund	9.00

Wilford Bashaw	refund	22.50	
Albert Bashaw	refund	9.00	
Everett Benware	refund	18.00	
Town of Walpole, trucks		165.15	
Town of Acworth, trucks		27.00	
Town of Langdon, trucks		77.25	
Kenneth Merrill, plowing		12.50	
Helen Bainbridge, plowing		1.50	
D. T. Hoffman, trucking sand		1.80	
Highway account, gas and oil			
Riverview Park		26.90	
Gordon Bashaw, truck		5.00	
Sabin E. Fisk, trucks		13.00	
Guy C. Dodge, cleaning catch basins		5.00	
Michael Pletznor, trucking gravel		10.40	
			\$ 718.33
			<u>\$ 7,465.94</u>

Town Road Aid

Acworth and Lover's Lane Roads

Eugene C. Nelson, Foreman	\$	176.10
K. Allan Streeter, timekeeper		169.25
Ralph F. Royce, truck driver		140.75
Geo. M. Holden, truck driver		148.25
Wm. Blanchard, labor		96.25
Wm. Blanchard, mason		25.80
Edward G. Merrill, labor		32.50
Edward G. Merrill, mason		19.20
Milton E. Gray	labor	65.50
Wilford Bashaw		35.50
Harold P. Royce		27.50
Henry Benware		19.50
Walter J. Russell		5.50
Dayton E. Russell		5.50
Albert Bashaw		9.00

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Everett Benware, labor		30.00
Albert E. Meader	truck	117.00
Maurice Starkey		79.80
Harold C. Grant		118.50
James Murray		73.80
Town of Walpole		153.00
Edward F. Reardon		34.50
Harold J. Stoddard		64.80
Ernest Ball		27.00
Roaul McKenvin		23.40
Geo. A. Lepisto		59.40
Ernest B. Pierce		12.60
Harold H. Ward		21.00
Bergeron & Allen, shovel		471.50
Arthur Whitcomb, shovel		297.50
John A. Grau, bulldozer		320.00
State Highway Garage, pipe		117.30
Nelson-Warner Co., cement, wire		20.94
Wright Grocery Co., paint		7.85
Rand, Ball & King, wire		9.00
Town of Charlestown, gas, oil		166.08
Rex E. Smith, gravel		226.20
Town of Springfield, gravel		75.00
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		\$ 3,502.27
Town appropriation	\$ 700.69	
State contributed	2,802.76	
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		\$ 3,503.45
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Balance		\$ 1.18

There was approximately \$1,368.23 expended on the Acworth road which is completed, and \$2,134.04 expended on the Lover's Lane road; there is a charge of \$283.29 for oil for the Lover's Lane road that was charged to the Surface Treatment account.

Lover's Lane Road, Right-of-way

In order to straighten the Lover's Lane road it was necessary to pay land damage as follows:

John A. Shepherd	\$	75.00
Emile Beaudry		50.00
Edgar D. Walker		50.00
Vernon T. Sherwood		1.00
	\$	<u>176.00</u>

Highway Construction

Riverview Park

Eugene C. Nelson, Agent	\$	26.40
Ralph F. Royce, truck driver		29.70
Geo. M. Holden, grader driver		22.95
Wm. Blanchard labor		23.40
Edward G. Merrill		27.45
Milton Gray		17.10
Albert Bashaw		22.05
Wilford Bashaw		14.85
Everett Benware		1.35
Herbert Knight		1.80
Fred Carman, shovel		110.25
Harold H. Ward, truck		40.50
George Blake, truck		40.50
Parker-Danner Co., culvert		38.75
Highway Department, cement		4.26
Highway Department, gas, oil		26.90
Town of Springfield, gravel		79.40
	\$	<u>527.61</u>

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

FRANK W. HAMLIN, Treasurer

Receipts

Cash on hand February 1, 1942 \$ 2,127.56

State of New Hampshire

Forest fires	\$ 13.90	
Gasoline and oil	173.58	
Railroad tax	2,536.30	
Savings Bank tax	425.00	
Interest and dividends	3,177.51	
Clara B. Stewart	115.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,441.54

Licenses

Max Bloomfield	\$ 2.00	
J. Stein	5.00	
Sam Miller	5.00	
James Murray	5.00	
H. I. Talbert	5.00	
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Town Clerk

Wm. S. Fairbanks		
Filing fees	\$ 5.00	
Dog licenses	530.40	
Automobile permits	2,625.39	
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Municipal Court

Richard H. Perry		
Fines and costs		\$ 100.00

Trustees of Trust Funds

Widows Fund	\$ 231.21
Charles H. Hoyt Fund	3.60
Cemeteries	579.51

\$ 814.32

Town Hall

Walter B. Wood	\$ 367.00
Charlestown Grange	100.00

\$ 467.00

Sewers

Guy C. Dodge	\$ 584.22
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Taxes

Louis L. Comstock	\$57,587.20
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Taxes Redeemed

Fred Gray	\$ 6.04
Edwin Bashaw	6.07
M. Glazier	18.90
Ira Austin	19.83
Vernon Rich	25.62
Clarence Bailey (Farwell)	25.94
W. M. Dunmore	28.29
George Berlinger	40.98
J. P. Lynch (Diggins)	65.98
J. Boss	87.54
Emerson Estate	107.04
E. Simpson	130.00
Walter E. Arnold	154.00
Josephine Manley	181.79
Alfred C. Smith	257.83

\$ 1,155.85

Temporary Loans

Lincoln Young Co.,	\$30,000.00
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Rebates and Refunds

Ednah S. Hammond	\$ 9.80	
Oscar F. Adams	57.15	
A. H. Sayce	4.98	
Emma E. Hull	68.25	
Henry Benware	9.00	
Wilford Bashaw	22.50	
Albert Bashaw	9.00	
Gordon Bashaw	5.00	
Everett Benware	18.00	
L. A. Lamphier rent	45.00	
C. A. Smith (A. E. Smith)	1,970.00	
Ralph Royce	140.75	
Frank H. Wright	273.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,632.68

Water Commission

Interest on notes	\$ 288.00
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Miscellaneous

Helen Bainbridge	\$ 1.50	
M. Pletzner	10.40	
Town of Walpole	165.15	
Town of Acworth	27.00	
Town of Langdon	89.75	
Eugene C. Nelson	26.90	
D. T. Hoffman	1.80	
Boston & Maine Railroad, fires	43.00	
A. H. Sayce, scrap	153.00	
Sabin E. Fisk, truck	13.00	
U. S. Treasurer	1.34	
Guy C. Dodge	5.00	
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		\$105,919.00

Frank W. Hamlin, advanced
(Widows Fund)

1.29
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\$105,920.29

Disbursements

Town Officers	\$ 3,102.84
Board of Health	70.06
Fire Department	1,304.50
Police Department	459.83
Sewers	540.51
Town Hall	1,387.11
Street Lights	1,911.00
Schools	31,374.52
Town Paupers	1,756.08
Cemeteries	630.95
Debt and Interest	30,471.43
Taxes Abated	78.25
County Taxes	8,466.45
Riverview Park Highway	527.61
Highways	8,188.42
Trustees of Trust Funds	815.61
Old Age Assistance	1,610.70
Miscellaneous	7,715.39
Balance due Town	5,514.03
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	\$105,920.29

Report of Town Treasurer as Custodian of Sinking Funds

Sinking Fund

Connecticut River National Bank

Savings acct. January 31, 1942	\$	315.53	
Interest		4.74	
Certificate No. 1190		794.86	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,115.13

Amount of Sinking Fund January 31, 1943 \$ 1,115.13

Town Water Bonds

Balance January 31, 1942	\$	62.16	
Interest		.26	
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Water bonds coupons outstanding	\$	44.00	
Balance in Bank		18.42	
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REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Oscar C. Young, Fred H. Perry, Frank W. Hamlin, Trustees

Receipts

Silsby Free Public Library

Hillsboro County Savings Bank	\$ 25.00
Keene Savings Bank	25.15
Cheshire County Savings Bank	25.15
Union Trust Co.	20.00
Walpole Savings Bank	50.30
Claremont Savings Bank	120.38
Conn. River National Bank	159.81
Central Vt. Public Service Co.	45.00
Public Service Company of N. H.	62.50
N. H. Fire Insurance Co.	90.00
Chase National Bank	52.50

\$ 675.79

Paid Library Treasurer

\$ 675.79

Swan Fund

Interest

Conn. River National Bank	\$ 4.60
Carried to Income account	\$ 4.60

Widows Fund

Balance from 1942 account	\$ 1.99
Interest Received	
Central Vermont Public Service	30.00
Public Service Company of N. H.	30.00
City of Birmingham, Ala.,	
School Bonds	90.00
Claremont Savings Bank	62.89
Conn. River National Bank	16.33

\$ 231.21

Paid Town Treasurer

\$ 231.21

Charles H. Hoyt Fund

Interest Received

Walpole Savings Bank	\$	70.27
Conn. River National Bank		7.15
Loan & Trust Savings Bank		53.59

\$ 131.01

Paid Town Treasurer	\$	3.60
Balance to Income account		127.41

\$ 131.01

Cemeteries

Interest Received

Trustees of Trust Funds

Water Notes	\$	288.00
New Hampshire Savings Bank		3.02
Walpole Savings Bank		273.73
Claremont Savings Bank		35.59
Conn. River National Bank		47.94

\$ 648.28

Paid Town Treasurer	\$	579.51
Balance to Income account		68.77

\$ 648.28

Perpetual Care

Catharine Way, Timothy

Putnam, Oliver Putnan	\$	50.00
J. Stratton Walker		50.00
William E. Butterfield		50.00
Fred W. Huntley		75.00
Samuel Slader		95.00
Charles H. Willard		100.00
Gilbert L. Richardson		100.00
Anna Louise Webber		200.00
Chester A. Erskine		200.00

Deposited in Claremont Savings Bank	\$	920.00
Ernest Rosenquist		200.00

Deposited in Walpole Savings Bank	\$	200.00
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\$ 1,120.00 \$ 1,120.00

\$ 2,810.89 \$ 2,810.89

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Charlestown, N. H., on January 31, 1943.

TRUST FUNDS, Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance Income on Hand Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance Income on Hand End of Year
SILSBY FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY	Walpole Savings Bank	\$ 2,000.00	2 1/2 %	\$	\$ 50.30	\$	\$
Amount, \$20,005.21	Connecticut River National Bank Savings	2,997.51			159.81		
	Connecticut River National Bank Certificate	1,631.45					
	Hillsboro County Savings Bank	1,000.00	2 1/2 %		25.00		
	Keene Savings Bank	1,000.00	2 1/2 %		25.15		
	Cheshire County Savings Bank	1,000.00	2 1/2 %		25.15		
	Union Trust Company	1,000.00	2 %		20.00		
	Claremont Savings Bank	3,000.00	2 1/2 %	43.83	76.55		
	New Hampshire Insurance Co.	2,412.50			90.00		
	Chase National Bank	1,968.75			52.50		
	Public Service Company of N. H.	965.00			45.00		
	Central Vt. Public Service Co.	1,030.00			62.50	675.79	
SWAN FUND (Benefit Schools)	Connecticut River National Bank Savings	272.87		35.44	4.60		40.04
Amount, \$ 335.55	Connecticut River National Bank Certificate	63.18					

WIDOWS FUND (Benefit poor widows) Amount, \$ 7,638.08	City of Birmingham School Bonds Central Vt. Public Service Co. Claremont Savings Bank Connecticut River National Bank Savings Connecticut River National Bank Certificate	2,000.00 4½ % 1,000.00 2,500.00 2½ % 1,118.44 1,019.64	90.00 60.00 62.89 16.33 231.21
CHARLES H. HOYT FUND (Benefit highway around his estate) Amount, \$ 5,346.01	Walpole Savings Bank Connecticut River National Bank Savings Connecticut River National Bank Certificate Loan and Trust Savings Bank	2,437.93 371.96 536.12 2,000.00 13.33	426.87 137.37 7.15 3.60 53.59 40.26
C'EMETERIES FUNDS Amount, \$22,491.98	Connecticut River National Bank Savings Connecticut River National Bank Certificate Walpole Savings Bank Charlestown Water Notes Claremont Savings Bank New Hampshire Savings Bank	2,201.46 1,009.02 9,861.50 7,200.00 2,120.00 100.00 182.60	623.87 47.94 1,423.87 288.00 35.59 3.02 579.51 101.67 284.27
CHARLES H. HOYT Macalester Fund Amount, \$ 2,000.00	Continental Insurance Company	2,000.00	
		\$57,809.83	\$2,746.58 \$1,490.11 \$2,989.88

POOR ACCOUNT . . . Oscar F. Adams, Overseer of Poor

TOWN CASES

Name	Food	Shelter	Fuel	Medical	Board and Care	Total
Crosby, Harry	\$				\$ 417.17	\$ 417.17
Hilliard, Mrs. Lenora		180.00	48.20			228.20
Pierce, Mrs. Ethel					460.02	460.02
Preston, Leo, child					260.00	260.00
Walker, Allen					182.40	182.40
Whitmore, Henry					67.43	67.43
Williams, Mrs. Sadie			30.25		30.25	30.25
Wilson, George				59.15	59.15	59.15
					<u>\$1,704.62</u>	
Paid to Town Treasurer, amount drawn from Selectmen and not used					57.15	57.15
					<u>\$1,761.77</u>	

Amount on hand February 1, 1942	\$ 7.69
Amount received from selectmen	<u>1,754.08</u>
	\$ 1,761.77

POOR ACCOUNT . . . Oscar F. Adams, Overseer of Poor

COUNTY CASES

Name	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Medical	Fuel	Total
Blanchard, William	\$ 54.00	\$ 25.00	\$		\$	\$ 79.00
Cornwell, Raymond	8.00					8.00
Knight, Hugh	5.00					5.00
Nash, Mrs. Fannie				32.54		32.54
Russell, Charles	122.11	30.00	2.50		5.00	159.61
Sherwin, Frederick	5.00					5.00
Whipple, Mrs. Mildred	132.30	127.00			49.00	308.30
						<u>\$ 597.45</u>

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

 Louis L. Comstock, Collector

1940

Dr.

Poll taxes uncollected February 1, 1942	\$	16.00
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Cr.

Paid Treasurer	\$	16.00
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1941

Dr.

Uncollected property tax

February 1, 1942	\$ 5,413.88
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Uncollected poll taxes	186.00
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Interest collected on property taxes	265.05
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Interest collected on poll taxes	16.60
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 \$ 5,881.53

Cr.

Paid Treasurer	\$ 5,881.53
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1942

Dr.

Property tax warrant	\$52,235.26
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Poll tax warrant	2,246.00
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Interest collected on property taxes	13.50
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Interest collected on poll taxes	34.40
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 \$54,529.16

Cr.

Paid Treasurer	\$51,689.67
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Uncollected property tax	2,727.49
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Uncollected poll tax	112.00
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 \$54,529.16

LOUIS L. COMSTOCK, Collector

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

To the Town of Charlestown, N. H.

The following is a report of all dogs licensed in the Town of Charlestown during the year 1942.

Number of dogs licensed	248	
Amount received, males	\$	284.00
Amount received, females		130.00
Amount received, spayed females		122.00
Amount received, kennel		44.00
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Total amount received	\$	580.00
Town Clerk's fee		49.60
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Paid Town Treasurer	\$	530.40

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. FAIRBANKS, Town Clerk

To the Town of Charlestown, N. H.

The following is a report of all automobiles taxed in the Town of Charlestown, for the year 1942-1943 dated from April 1, 1942 to February 1, 1943.

Total receipts	\$	2,615.75
Paid Town Treasurer	\$	2,615.75
Received from February 1, 1942 to April 1, 1942	\$	9.64
Paid Town Treasurer	\$	9.64

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. FAIRBANKS, Town Clerk

MUNICIPAL COURT

During the year 1942, there were 39 complaints brought before the Court.

Complaints

Motor laws	24
Fish and game	5
Assault	3
Larceny	6
Juvenile	1

Financial Report

Amount Received

Fines	\$ 513.95	
Costs	<u>170.80</u>	
		\$ 684.75

Paid

Dept. of Motor Vehicles

Fines	\$ 355.50	
Costs	<u>43.50</u>	
		\$ 399.00

Dept. of Fish and Game

Fines	\$ 103.95	
Costs	<u>18.10</u>	
		\$ 122.05

William Kratky	1.70
Joseph Regan	3.00
Rolla Smith	8.00
Walter Welch	2.00
O. C. Young	3.00
F. W. Hamlin, Treasurer	100.00
Richard H. Perry	<u>46.00</u>

\$ 684.75

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD H. PERRY, Justice

SEWER DEPARTMENT

 Guy C. Dodge, Superintendent

Unpaid Sewer Connections

1940	\$ 51.50	
1941	156.90	
1942	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 228.40

Paid Town Treasurer	\$ 584.22
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Sewer Connections for 1942

John Chapman	\$ 37.20
Bela Booth	25.00
Osborne Stevens	18.30
Copley Amory	80.00
George Stoodley	5.00
Maud Prouty	5.00
John Pelitz	20.00
Hugh White	20.00
Clarence Slavin	5.00
Frank Wright	5.00
Fordyce Lape	20.00
Guy Smith	10.00
Harry Smith	5.00
Margaret Galway	15.00
Irvin Woodard	15.00
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	\$ 285.50

Water and Sewer Supplies on Hand

Sewer pipe and fittings	\$ 149.00
Sewer tools	500.00
Galvanized pipe and fittings	50.00
Copper pipe and fittings	60.00
Cast iron pipe and fittings	168.00
Meters	434.00
Curb cocks	40.00
Tapping machine and tools	150.00
Pumps	75.00
Melting furnace	40.00
Hoes and shovels	40.00
Pipe tools	20.00
Hydrant repairs	20.00
Miscellaneous	50.00
Pine lumber	45.00
Gate valves	48.00
Hydrant	78.00

GUY C. DODGE, Superintendent

Old Home Day Association

The balance in my hands as Treasurer of Charlestown, N. H., Old Home Day Association is the same as last year; \$83.20 No receipts or disbursements since last report.

FRED H. PERRY, Treasurer

Health Officer's Report

There have been only a comparatively few cases of common contagious diseases, chicken-pox, measles, whooping cough and scarlet fever, during the past year. These have all been isolated and hardly any spread has resulted.

During the year samples of water both from the village and North Charlestown supplies have been sent to the State Laboratory nearly every month. The results have not been quite as satisfactory as in former years.

Milk samples from the local dealers and producers have been submitted to the State Laboratory of Hygiene from time to time during the year. The quality has been satisfactory in all cases.

During the year the State Board of Health in co-operation with a local committee, held a two day Child Health Conference, in charge of Elizabeth H. Carriel, State Board of Health Nurse. Seventy-three children were given a complete physical examination. In conjunction with this Clinic a Diptheria Immunization Clinic was held. Sixty-seven children were given the treatment for the prevention of Diptheria. Six children were given Small-pox vaccine.

A tuberculin test, X-ray of chest demonstration was held at the High School, May 14, 1942 directed by Cluffie M. Gobie, R. N., Tuberculosis Field Nurse, with the approval of the local and State Boards of Education. Preliminary health education and arrangements for the Clinic were conducted by Mrs. R. E. Hasham, School Nurse. Eighty-four senior and junior high school students and thirteen adults were given the tuberculin test. Of these six persons showed reaction. All reactors were given benefit of X-ray of chest. No active cases were discovered.

LOUIS L. COMSTOCK, Health Officer

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Report of Collector of Water Rents

Back water rents uncollected		\$	180.30
Uncollected rents for 1937		\$	12.00
Uncollected rents for 1938		\$	17.30
Uncollected rents for 1939		\$	2.00
Rents to collect for 1940		\$	31.78
Rents collected for 1940	\$	11.52	
Uncollected for 1940		20.26	
	\$	31.78	\$ 31.78
Rents to collect for 1941		\$	330.45
Rents added for 1941			74.17
Rents collected for 1941	\$	390.62	
Rents uncollected for 1941		14.00	
	\$	404.62	\$ 404.62
Rents to collect for 1942		\$	4,866.48
Rents collected for 1942	\$	4,404.21	
Rents uncollected for 1942		462.27	
	\$	4,866.48	\$ 4,866.48
Cash on hand last report		\$	6.50
Balance in Bank			46.03
Collected on water rents			4,806.35
Paid			
O. C. Young, Treasurer	\$	4,800.00	
Postage		16.85	
Supplies		2.05	
Balance in Bank		35.55	
Cash on hand		4.43	
	\$	4,858.88	\$ 4,858.88

D. T. HOFFMAN, Collector

Oscar C. Young, Treasurer

Receipts

Balance on hand February 3, 1942	\$ 1,850.34
D. T. Hoffman, Collector	800.00
”	1,000.00
”	1,000.00
”	1,000.00
”	1,000.00

Guy C. Dodge

Cash for connections and supplies

Charles Noyce	\$ 9.60	
Charlestown Woolen Co.	14.46	
Edwin Bashaw	3.51	
George Olden	21.15	
Winnie Parks	11.81	
Bert Lawrence	16.50	
Percy Robinson	14.37	
E. A. Rowe	13.60	
Margaret Fontaine	10.15	
Osborne Stevens	13.30	
William Mitchell	23.55	
Congregational Church	32.85	
Arthur L. Haberstroh	9.75	
Sabin Fisk	8.31	
Amasa Bowles	12.95	
Florence Richardson	9.42	
New England Telephone Co.	39.76	
Copley Amory	9.00	
Bertha Taylor	2.84	
William L. Deslaurier	7.82	284.71
O. C. Young		24.30
Sarah Fisk		11.03

Total receipts	\$ 6,970.38
Total expenses	3,274.02
Balance on hand	\$ 3,696.36

Expenses

Guy C. Dodge, Superintendent, labor, mileage, salary and expenses	\$ 442.19
Walter Russell labor	529.50
Dayton Russell	474.73
Horace Russell	72.50
Rex Green	55.00
Carlton Benware	26.00
Nelson Benware	37.50
Gordon Nash	5.00
Edward Chapman	2.50
Harold Snow	4.50
Robert Spaulding	9.50
Curtis Hosley	3.00
Wellesley Shaw	12.38
Howard Barker	9.50
Fred Martell	5.00
Albert Poisson	9.50
Herman Chase, surveying	10.00
A. H. Streeter	7.96
Rodney Adams, distributing notices	3.00
American Magazine	2.00
Sumner & Dunbar, supplies	69.80
New Hampshire Water Works Association	5.00
V. M. Morse, repairing dam	48.11
Canney-Plue Co., supplies	49.30
William Miller Son Co., printing	4.75
Clinton Barton, recording deeds	2.53
Johnson-Barker Co., supplies	322.18
Hamlin Dept. Store, supplies	9.02
Board of Selectmen, interest on notes, note due July 1	288.00
Nelson-Warner Co., supplies	7.35
Howard Hardware Co., supplies	2.43
Frank Daniels, supplies	6.00
George Nourse, supplies	1.25
Walter Smith, painting signs	6.00

W. S. Fairbanks, oil and gas	7.59
Bliss & Lawlor, accounting for Public Service Commission	25.00
Stella Huntley, for Hall's Pond land	150.00
George Eggleston, for Hall's Pond land	300.00
Perry & Willard, bonds for O. C. Young and D. T. Hoffman	10.00
D. T. Hoffman, Collector, salary and surveying	196.20
O. C. Young, Treasurer, salary	35.00
L. L. Comstock, printing	19.25
Boston & Maine, R. R., pipe privilege	5.00
Alice Brackett, bookkeeping, keeping records	10.00
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	\$ 3,274.02

AUDITORS' REPORT

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Charlestown, have examined the accounts as set forth in the accompanying schedules of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Treasurer of the Silsby Free Public Library, Water Commissioners, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, and Trustees of Trust Funds, and other Town Officers, and find them correct.

ALICE E. ADAMS
JOHN L. NELSON
ARTHUR C. MOORE

February 18, 1943

SILSBY FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

 Board of Trustees

Hugh A. White	Term expires 1943
Alice A. Weeks	Term expires 1943
Carl A. Perkins	Term expires 1944
Martha McD. Frizzell	Term expires 1944
Martha Clark	Term expires 1945
Frank W. Hamlin	Term expires 1945

Carl A. Perkins, Chairman of Board

Alice A. Weeks, Secretary of Board

Frank W. Hamlin, Treasurer

 Treasurer's Report

 Receipts

Cash on hand January 15, 1942		\$	294.64
Fines collected	\$	46.00	46.00
Interest Received			
Keene Savings Bank		25.15	
Cheshire County Savings Bank		25.15	
Hillsboro County Savings Bank		25.00	
Walpole Savings Bank		50.30	
Claremont Savings Bank		120.38	
Union Trust Company		20.00	
Conn. River National Bank		119.76	
Conn. River National Bank		40.05	
New Hampshire Fire Ins. Co.		90.00	
Public Service Co. of N. H.		62.50	
Central Vt. Public Service Co.		45.00	
Chase National Bank of N. Y.		52.50	
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		\$	675.79
Town of Charlestown Appropriation			700.00
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		\$	1,716.43

Expenditures

Books and Magazine

George D. Nourse	\$	24.50
American Library Association		3.00
Springfield News		5.17
R. H. Hinkley & Co.		5.00
Personal Book Shop		23.25
New England News Co.		48.03
Caroline Stoughton Book Shop		174.33

\$ 283.28

Librarian

Alice Cushing Jennings	\$	260.00
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Fuel

Carl A. Perkins	\$	174.00
Green Lumber Co.		19.50

\$ 193.50

Supplies

Kimball's Inc.	\$	9.25
Remington-Rand Co.		9.20
Hamlin Dept. Store		.88
Gaylord Brothers		6.60
William Miller		4.25

\$ 30.18

Lights

Granite State Electric Co.	\$	33.68
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Janitor

N. Ernest White	\$	350.35
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Miscellaneous

Post Office, box rent	\$	6.00
Martha Clark		3.29
Perry & Willard		78.00
C. A. Perkins		5.20

\$ 92.49

Balance due Library

472.95

\$ 1,716.43

Report of Librarian

The book and magazine circulation has been very good this past year. It is slightly lower than the preceeding year, however, due to the fact the North Charlestown branch library has been discontinued.

Miss Pratt of the State Library Commission, made her annual inspection of the library during September.

The 1942 Victory Book Campaign for this town was taken on by the library. The librarian collected over three hundred books and shipped them to various camps for our service men to read.

The bookmobile, a traveling library from the State Library Commission, is still making its trip every six weeks and bringing the latest books for us.

The library has received gifts of books from the following; Mr. Charles H. Spooner, Mr. Carl Perkins, Mr. Victor Cahalane, Miss Nutter, and Miss Helen Hubbard.

Magazines were given by Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, Mrs. William Miller, Mrs. Sumner Raymond, and Mr. Frank Hamlin.

ALICE CUSHING JENNINGS, Librarian

Circulation

Adult books		
Fiction	8,164	
Non-fiction	1,447	
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Juvenile books		
Fiction	2,840	
Non-fiction	337	
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Periodicals		873
Total circulation		<hr/> 13,661

Number of books owned	7,535
Number of books discarded	43
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	7,492
Number of books added	207
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Total number of books owned	7,699

Some of the New Adult Books

Frenchman's Creek	Daphne du Maurier
Dragon Seed	Pearl S. Buck
Young Ames	Walter D. Edmonds
All that Glitters	Frances Parkinson Keys
Inside Latin America	John Gunther
Fingerprints of Bible People	Florence A. Banks
Four Years in Paradise	Osa Johnson
Windswept	Mary Ellen Chase
I was a Magi Flyer	Gottfried Leske
Is Tommorow Hitler's?	H. R. Knickerbocker
My Ten Years in the Studios	George Arliss
Bride of Glory	Bradda Field
Mrs. Appleyard's Year	Louise Andrew Kent
Pied Piper	Nevil Shute
Cross Creek	Marjorie K. Rawlings
Let Me Show You New Hampshire	Ella Shannon Bowles
Remember Pearl Harbor	Blake Clark
H. M. Pulham Esquire	John Marquand
The Castle on the Hill	Elizabeth Gandge

Sweets without Sugar	Marion White
Song of Bernadette	Franz Werfel
The Doctors Mayo	H. B. Clapesattle
Exit Laughing	Irvin S. Cobb
The Uninvited	Dorothy Macardle
Introducing Australia	C. Hartley Grattan
Drivin' Woman	Elizabeth Chevalier
The Days of Ofelia	Gertrude Diamont
The Coming Battle of Germany	William Ziff
The Cup and the Sword	Alice Tisdale Hobart
The Raft	Robert Trumbull
Paul Revere and the World he lived in	Esther Forbes
The Robe	Lloyd C. Douglas
The Prodigal Women	Nancy Hale
The Fun Encyclopedia	E. O. Harbin

Some of the New Children's Books

Singing Sisters	Laura Lang
Whittling Boy	Roger Burlingame
Diddle Dumps and Tot	L. C. Pymelle
Sand	Will James
The Cruise of the Sally D	James Otis
Narcissa Whitman	Jeanette Eaton
Our Navy's Striking Power	Leonard Winans
Mechanizing Our Army	Lieut. Hugh Sears
Busy Carpenters	James Tippet
Mother Goose	Relagie Doone
Warden Airplanes	Harold Booth
Eskimo Hunters of the Arctic	Dorothy Sickles
Renfrew of the Royal Mounted Police	Laurie Erskine
Good Comrades	Felix Salten
Nursery Tales	Ronney Gay
Fiddle Away	May Justin
Corn-Belt Billy	Mabel Hunt
My Friend Flicka	Mary O'Hara

SCHOOL REPORT

DISTRICT OF

CHARLESTOWN, N. H.



. . . School Board . . .

HESSLAR T. GATES
Chairman

CHARLES SNOW

FRED H. PERRY
Secretary

Other Officers and Helpers

FRANK W. HAMLIN
Treasurer

WALTER L. MASON
Superintendent

Z. L. HASHAM
Nurse

R. K. WEEKS
Moderator

L. L. COMSTOCK
Clerk

FINANCIAL REPORT

Annual Report of District Treasurer—School District
of Charlestown, N. H.

1941-1942

FRANK W. HAMLIN, Treasurer

Receipts

Town of Charlestown, appropriation 1941-42	\$25,300.00
Town of Charlestown, dog tax	74.52
Town of Charlestown, advanced from appropriation 1942-43	2,500.00
Goshen School District, supplies	175.52
Lempster School District, supplies	163.04
Acworth School District, supplies	291.04
Langdon School District, supplies	238.51
Unity School District, supplies	341.92
Cornish School District, supplies	441.94
Croydon School District, supplies	159.02
State of New Hampshire, equalization fund	3,764.21
State of New Hampshire, D. A. aid	225.17
State of New Hampshire, M. A. aid	353.33
Insurance on Primary Building	6,000.00
John Lylis, material sold	78.16
Herbert Towne, supplies sold	4.50
Alice August, supplies sold	4.15
W. L. Mason, telephone	2.56
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	\$40,217.59

Payments

Salaries of District Officers

Arthur Moore, auditor	\$ 5.00
Alice E. Adams, auditor	5.00
Dora G. Erskine, auditor	5.00
Frank Hamlin, treasurer	100.00
Charles E. Snow, committee	50.00
Fred Perry, committee	75.00
Hessler Gates, committee	50.00
Louis L. Comstock, clerk	5.00
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	\$ 295.00

Superintendent's Salary

Fred H. Perry, treasurer of Union	\$ 716.53
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Truant Officer and Census

I. R. Moore, transportation	\$ 8.50
Herbert Towne, census and officer	40.00
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	\$ 48.50

Expenses of Administration

D. V. Cahalane, postage	\$ 48.95
New England Telephone Co., telephone	61.82
William Miller Son Co., printing	52.75
W. H. Douglass, telephone and postage	4.07
W. L. Mason, convention and postage	7.59
Alice A. August, clerical work	25.00
Joyce Lombard, clerical work	1.75
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	5.40
H. Faught & Son, rental of typewriter	5.00
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	\$ 212.33

Teachers' Salaries

	HIGH	ELEMENTARY
John Lylis, Headmaster	\$ 1,580.00	\$ 220.00
Waldo Streeter, Principal	384.50	1,415.50
Caroline Williams, Latin and French	500.00	
Barbara Young, Mathematics	375.90	549.10
Anna F. Doherty, English	612.70	312.30
Vera Nichols, Home Economics	724.47	225.53
Alice August, Commerce	1,025.00	
Martha L. Smith, Music	439.29	485.71
Helen Streeter, Grades 5 and 6		1,025.00
Flora Longa, Grades 4 and 5		1,025.00
Lois Parker, Grade 3	50.00	950.00
Alice Palmer, Grade 2		975.00
Susie Benway, Grade 1		1,025.00
Eleanor Rock, Principal Farwell School		925.00
Eleanor Richardson, Grades 5 to 8		
Farwell School	45.00	855.00
Minnie E. Smith, Grades 1 to 6		
South School		900.00
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	\$ 5,736.86	\$10,890.64

Text Books

D. C. Heath & Co., French books	\$ 6.51	\$
Alluyn & Bacon, Latin and French books	10.42	
Silver Burdett & Co., music books	10.02	
Harcourt Brace & Co., French books	7.43	
Southwestern Publishing Co., bookkeeping books	7.66	
D. Appleton & Co., geometries	10.77	
University of Nebraska, educational books	2.00	
Ginn & Co., Ruggs books	12.81	428.95
Scott, Foresman Co., French and Latin books	112.28	14.26

	HIGH	ELEMENTARY
Macmillan Co., physics, history	58.65	7.60
Monadnock Publishing Co., rebinding	3.95	94.14
American Book Co., readers		127.54
Hall & McCreary Co., music books		13.59
The Arlo Publishing Co., readers		42.71
Webster Publishing Co., spellers		44.20
Row Peterson Co., English books		16.67
Theodore Presser Co., music books		.85
Kimball Inc., books		4.50
C. A. Perkins, trucking		.75
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	\$ 242.50	\$ 795.76

Scholars' Supplies

L. L. Comstock, express	\$	42.83	\$
Ambosco Scientific Co., laboratory supplies		41.55	
Boston Music Co., musical supplies		2.69	
Newsweek Publishing Co., weekly paper		2.60	
Stevens High School, sander arbor		.78	
J. H. Faught & Son, ink stencils		11.14	
M. N. Perkins Co., high school diplomas		20.70	
The Fibrion Inc., stencils, etc.		44.65	
Spencer Hardware Co., shop parts		3.95	
Howard Hardware Co., shop supplies		3.29	
South-Western Publishing Co., bookkeeping sets		16.95	
St. Johnsbury Trucking Co., express		1.05	
Carbide & Carbon Co., gas		12.00	
Oval & Koster Co., elem. diplomas		18.88	
Ernest Bemis, lumber		28.41	
Boardway & Combs, lumber		10.00	
George Porter, umber		49.70	
Nelson-Warner Co., lumber		19.63	

	HIGH	ELEMENTARY
Carl Fisher Co., musical supplies	50.36	30.88
Gladhill Brothers Co., paper, etc.	190.26	708.56
Beckley-Cardy Co., paste, etc.	38.60	242.74
George Nourse, medical supplies	1.72	1.77
Waldo Streeter, shop supplies	2.80	2.81
Granite State Electric Co., electricity	3.40	7.02
Broadhead-Garrett Co., shop supplies	136.58	2.00
Kimballs Inc., stencils, staples	7.75	9.00
Edward E. Babb Co., pencils, etc.	10.16	97.42
Hamlin's Department Store, home economics supplies	35.21	62.93
American Book Co., work books		183.90
Vera Nichols, cloth		2.68
Mt. Kilburn Paper Co., scotch tape, etc.		61.60
Webster Publishing Co., work books		298.25
Thomas W. Reed Co., medical supplies		9.65
Ginn & Co., work books		58.14
The Macmillan Co., work books		20.12
J. W. Hammett Co.,		.96
Am. El. Press, weekly papers		205.60
	\$ 767.64	\$ 2,006.03

Flags and Appurtenances

Beckley-Cardy Co., flags	\$	30.00
J. H. Hammett Co., flags		8.52
	\$	38.52

Other Expenses of Instruction

Alice A. August, coaching	\$	25.00	\$
Consumer's Research, magazine		2.00	
Vera Nichols, transportation		20.95	1.60

	HIGH	ELEMENTARY
Martha Smith, transportation		68.00
The Macmillan Co., reference books		7.61
C. A. Perkins, trucking		1.50
R. H. Hinkle Co., reference books		71.12
Pacific Press Publishing Co., reference books		5.65
Martin & Murray Co., reference books		19.08
Edward E. Babb Co., charts		30.25
Scott Foresman Co., reference books		14.32
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	\$ 47.95	\$ 219.13

Janitors' Salaries

Anna K. Johnson, South School	\$	\$ 125.00
Lewis Perry, Farwell School		256.50
Herbert Towne, Village Schools	475.65	475.65
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	\$ 475.65	\$ 855.85

Fuel

C. A. Perkins, coal and wood	\$ 131.72	\$ 415.06
Conn. River National Bank, C. A. Perkins, coal	176.56	176.56
Carbide & Carbon Co., gas	12.00	
Granite State Electric Co., electricity	46.16	34.27
James Adams, wood		10.00
Nelson-Warner Co., coal		298.70
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	\$ 366.44	\$ 934.59

Health

Dr. W. L. Stewart, Dentist	\$ 5.60	\$ 15.85
Mrs. Z. L. Hasham, Nurse		540.00
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	\$ 5.60	\$ 555.85

	HIGH	ELEMENTARY
Transportation		
C. A. Perkins	\$ 615.50	\$ 615.50
John Nelson	1,100.00	1,100.00
Everett Simpson	27.00	245.50
Steve Bechok		110.50
Louis L. Comstock		162.00
Lewis Perry	27.00	245.50
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	\$ 1,769.50	\$ 2,479.00

Lights and Janitors' Supplies

Mt. Kilburn Paper Co., towels, etc.	\$ 28.25	\$ 239.25
Edward E. Babb Co., sweeping compound	25.60	75.80
Masury, Young Co., cleaning compound, etc.	37.77	48.53
Miford Product Co., wax	48.00	48.25
Central Vt. Public Service, electricity		22.00
Granite State Electric Co., electricity	72.58	97.70
Du-Eu. Product Co., cleaning compound	27.40	27.40
George Ooctt, brushes	12.48	12.49
C. A. Perkins, carting		1.75
Hamlin Dept. Store, supplies		2.20
Valliere Pharmacy, containers		1.00
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	\$ 252.08	\$ 576.37

Minor Repairs

Kimball's Inc., staples	\$ 1.75	\$
Royal Typewriter Co., replacement of typewriter	200.00	
Masury, Young Co., lock	.71	

	HIGH	ELEMENTARY
Cambosco Scientific Co., replacement of apparatus	40.00	
B. G. Bemis, filing saws	10.50	
J. H. Faught & Son, mimeo.	45.00	
Paling Electric Co., electrical repairs	8.13	
Waldo Streeter, saw blades	1.75	
E. A. Lecharseau, repairs sawing machine	1.24	
Sears, Roebuck & Co., shop parts	6.83	
Gladhill Brothers, chairs, parts	11.40	18.00
C. A. Perkins, coal, trucking	136.49	136.39
Rand, Ball & King, locks, etc.	12.21	1.45
Beckly-Cardy Co., desks, chairs	58.80	466.05
Nelson Warner Co., lumber, etc.	61.51	49.76
Frank Blake, express	1.18	1.18
Currier Electric Co., lights in Primary	21.31	155.00
Everett Gay, labor, supplies	6.95	47.45
Hod & Furnace Co., cleaning furnace	17.50	17.50
A. H. Streeter, labor, supplies	40.70	129.81
Walter Thacher, repairing Primary	50.00	4,450.00
Everett Mason, labor		35.17
M. L. Bascom, labor		3.35
Hamlin Dept. Store, screws, etc.		11.64
Howard Hardware Co., screws, etc.		1.87
Anna K. Johnson, cleaning South Building		13.00
J. L. Hammett Co., thermometers		5.00
Fitch, Marray Co., health supplies		25.52
Mildred Leparnee, tuning piano		3.00
Harry Gorgen, old pipe		7.20
Spencer Hardware Co., shop parts		2.45
Fred L. Huldin, labor, parts		17.40
Leo M. Sawyer, labor		23.50
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	\$ 733.96	\$ 5,621.69

	HIGH	ELEMENTARY
Other Special Activities		
Edward E. Babb Co., playground supplies	\$ 9.50	\$ 26.65
State Tax		
State Treasurer, pupil tax		\$ 734.00
Insurance		
Perry & Willard, insurance		\$ 392.00
New Equipment		
Edward E. Babb Co., parts for desks		\$ 57.43
A. H. Streeter, boiler and furnace		634.50
Howard Hardware Co., electric grill		1.89
Hoisington's Inc., electric phonograph		15.00
Gladhill Brothers, art apparatus		34.00
Cambosco Scientific Co., apparatus		53.41
T. L. LeCleanian, sewing machine		192.90
	\$ 9.50	\$ 989.13
Obligations from Last Year		
Conn. River National Bank, overdraft		\$ 1,224.27
L. L. Comstock, clerk 1940-41		5.00
The Mansell Co., repairs on typewriters		5.00
Hazel Oeschger, loss due to fire		10.00
		<u>\$ 1,244.27</u>

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

We had six changes at the beginning of school in the fall. The new teachers were, Miss E. Mary Payne, mathematics; Miss Norma Reynolds, commercial; Miss Carol Giannarakos, music; and Miss Irene Hopkinson, fourth grade. Beside this Mrs. Dora Sherwin is teaching the South School, and Mrs. Verne Hause has a class in chemistry.

I will here insert parts of the reports from Mrs. Hasham, Mr. Lylis, Mr. Streeter, and Miss Giannarakos, as they cover the school activities well. From Mrs. Hasham's report;—

“The school health program means protection and education. I do not assume that the program is as good as it should be, but with what time I have, I have tried to influence the pupils of all ages in the matter of good health, and to help children to understand why they should remain at home when they are ill or have a cold.

“The services of the dentist, Dr. William Stuart and that of the state tuberculosis specialist, Dr. Kerr were beneficial influences of good health on the lives of the children. Other activities, such as the annual health inspection, the Snellen's eye test, home visits, and the teaching of Red Cross public health outlines to a group of high school students have been a help.

“The spark plugs in the school health program were Headmaster Lylis, Principal Streeter, and all of the rest of the Charlestown teachers. The children suffering from illness, skin infections, periculousis, fatigue or those lagging as compared with other children were referred to the school nurse.”

Mrs Z. L. Hasham.

The Charlestown High School enrollment on Jan-

uary 1, 1943 was;—

Freshman	20 girls	7 boys	27 total
Sophomores	10 "	14 "	24 "
Juniors	12 "	13 "	25 "
Seniors	9 "	6 "	15 "

The effects of defense work and miliary service are shown in the drop from 51 boys last year to 40 this year.

The departments with teachers in charge are;—

Home Economics, Miss Vera Nichols; Commercial, Miss Norma Reynolds; Mathematics, Miss Mary E. Payne; Industrial Arts, Mr. Waldo Streeter; English, Miss Anna Doherty; Foreign Languages, Mrs. Caroline Williams; Science, Mrs. Verne Hause; and Music, Miss Carol Gianarakos;. All the teachers are efficient, capable, and have well organized departments.

On February 4, 1943, through the efforts and co-operation of the Commercial Department, the N. H. Tuberculosis Association collected \$284.20 in the sale of Christmas seals. Already this is the largest amount ever contributed by the citizens of Charlestown, but we hope to exceed \$300.00.

We are very fortunale in owning a 16 MM silent moving picture projector this year. It was bought for \$92.50 which was earned by the student body. The pupils enjoy while learning in classes and assemblies. A few of the films shown are "Simple Machines", "Safety Glass", "Science Helps the Farmer", and "How to Take Care of the Soil".

The high school paper, "Chatterbox", has received many compliments from other publications. Talented students such as, Mary Young, Gertrude Urbahn, Ralph Simpson, William Brown, Margaret Haddad, Mary Trybulski, Josephine Smith, Everett Chapman, Harold Mofatt, Paul Johnson, Jeanette Farnam and Doris Parmenter make it possible to produce such high class work.

Last spring Miss Doris Parmenter, class 1943, won first prize in Sullivan County on an essay, "What Phrase in the Constitution Means the Most to You". This winter the National High School Poetry Association accepted two poems for publication in the annual National High School Poetry Anthology. They were, "The Peace That is to Come" by Margaret Powell, class 1944, and "The Evening of the Year" by Trinka Frizzell, class 1946. It is gratifying to me to view honors earned by these pupils, and the work done by the English Department during the last two years under Miss Doherty.

The Charlestown Junior Red Cross Chapter was one of the first in New Hampshire. By mobilizing our entire student body in this war effort we have been able to make and mail to the main office, 2 stretchers for the air raid headquarters, 50 bookmarks, 100 memorandum pads, 100 table and tray favors, 50 Christmas menu covers, 10 cribbage boards, 10 lapboards, 52 utility bags, 10 afghans, 50 bed pan covers, and have installed electric lights for the Red Cross. Our new quota calls for 5 lap robes, 25 bedroom slippers, 50 ash trays, 25 watch holders, 15 writing boards, 10 jigsaw puzzles, 25 writing portfolios, and 100 place cards.

In order to train as many students as possible in typewriting, courses have been offered in it to all pupils who could elect it. Twenty-one have enrolled. Typewriting is essential and high school graduates should be able to operate a typewriter with ease.

The activities of the Home Economics Department are numerous. During the noon hours hot luncheons have been prepared and served daily to eighty-eight pupils. An exhibit at the school house representing the work of the junior and senior high school girls displayed 250 jars of preserved foods.

School activities were curtailed this year. Government restrictions on pleasure cars has made it impossible

to conduct many activities on a profitable basis. Students are spending their extra time on Junior Red Cross projects, sale of war stamps and bonds, scrap drives, farm work, and taking over jobs in the community that were left by men called to the service.

This year a series of basketball engagements has been arranged among Alstead, Walpole, and Charlestown, making eight games for each team. It was regrettable that the girl's team has been dropped, but the fact that only the coach's car can be used to transport players has forced it on us.

The Financial Statement of the Athletic Association
February 5, 1942 to February 5, 1943

Receipts

Balance on hand February 5, 1942	\$ 87.90
Income from basketball games and schedule	116.58
Sale of magazines	327.57
Gift by Miss Grace Hunt	1.00
Equipment sold to pupils	1.95
	<hr/> \$ 535.00

Expenditures

Internal Revenue	\$ 3.90
Senior Class, gum March 9, 1942	2.25
Waldo Streeter, junior high transportation	2.50
Claremont Cleaners	7.40
William Westland, supplies	38.90
Transportation of basketball teams	14.00
William Miller, printing	7.50
Raymond Bradish, one-half payment of war bond	9.37
Curtis Publishing Co., subscriptions	197.92
Richard Monroe, awards	20.04
Horace Partridge, supplies	6.16
Supplies bought locally	8.79
	<hr/> \$ 318.68
Balance on hand February 5, 1943	\$ 216.32

On behalf of the teachers and myself I wish to thank Superintendent W. L. Mason and the School Board for their suggestions and cooperation in all problems that came about during the current year.

John C. Lylis, Headmaster.

Report of Elementary and Junior High School

The enrollment this year has been;— Junior High 63; fifth and sixth grades 38; fourth grade 34; third grade 28; second grade 42; first grade 24.

In the elementary grades we have had planned programs for all special observances. Throughout the first eight grades a period has been set aside for guidance in personal civics with special attention being given to health and manners.

The Junior High in its attempt to develop leadership and encourage participation in the various school affairs has carried on the following activities. During the first part of the year a sales campaign of magazine subscriptions was conducted for the benefit of the High School Athletic Association. The pupils sold over \$200.00 worth. Raymond Bradish sold the most in the entire school, this being \$60.50. The next activity was a play, "The Absent Minded Professor" under the direction of Miss Doherty assisted by Miss Hopkinson.

Assembly programs are held each week with pupils of the Junior High working with assigned teachers in planning the programs. Each week, pupils representing grades three through eight, meet and discuss the news of their respective rooms. This is edited and presented to the papers.

The boys in grades five through eight, have had a chance to play basketball. Also the girls in grades seven and eight have had regular periods. This opportunity was

brought about by the teachers giving up of their time freely to assist in the program. The boys have carried out a series with North Walpole Junior High.

War Savings Stamps are sold each Monday in grades one through eight. The total sales to February 1 is \$1073.70.

The Junior High Room has been greatly congested this year with an average of sixty-three. The normal average being forty-five to fifty. To help this situation a merit system of study was put in. This being necessary as there was no teacher time available for handling the study periods separate from the instructional period. This has worked out very well for the limited number allowed to participate.

Waldo R. Streeter

The Village Schools are doing good work from the first grade through the high school grades. The Farwell Schools are in good order this year and are well up to grade. The South School, while we have one of our best teachers there, has been hampered by poor attendance, the saucy attitude of a few pupils and the lack of cooperation on the part of a few parents. It is the story where one or two hold up the work of those who want to do well.

I wish more parents would visit schools and see for themselves what is taught and how it is taught. It would give courage to the teachers and would bring a new interest to the pupils.

A problem confronts us due to the changing emphasis in education caused by war conditions. Great interest is shown in mathematics, science, commercial work, and foreign languages. On the other hand the number of pupils asking for shop work, home economics and music are fewer. One reason for the few wanting shop is that many of the boys have had two years and would get no credit if they were to take one more. The home economics girls have had many added duties put on them, such

as noon lunches, war work, etc. The interest in the band and orchestra has been weak both last year and this; the pupils do not care to put in extra time for practice. There were not enough pupils interested in high school music to offer a course this year. It seems now as though some of these subjects will have to be dropped next year to teach those wanted, and in order to pay the wages required to hold good teachers.

Teaching is hard work and it is especially hard in school with four or more grades. The modern school teacher has many things to do that were not found in the schools years ago. There are papers to correct in arithmetic, in English, workbooks to correct and mark, and rationing, etc.

Financially teachers have been hard hit. Teachers' wages always have been low in comparison to the years of study and the expenses required to prepare for their work. According to a study made by the NEA the cost of living already has risen 19% since the war began; but food 35%, and clothing 25%. The wages of factory workers have gone up 59% and teachers wages 7%. Another inducement that kept teachers in their positions before 1939 was that they had no income tax to pay.

Transportation is another serious problem. The cost is higher, and it will soon be hard to locate good drivers. Without transportation however, we would be forced to open up a large number of small schools with the difficulty of finding teachers or allow children to go without any education. It is the opinion of many administration officials that many children will have no teachers next year. I believe that the schools of Charlestown can be kept open.

Books are in good condition, and teachers can get along with less supplies than would be desirable, but there is a growing problem of where will they get room and board? A few years ago many wanted teachers to board

and room at as low as \$7.00 a week; to-day rooms are hard to find and the total cost is as high as \$14.00 a week.

I appreciate all the help and kind wishes from the teachers and pupils during my sickness also the interest and encouragement by the Charlestown School Board in my getting back to work. I am sorry for the inconveniences brought to them and wish to thank them for the extra work they have so willingly done.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER L. MASON,

Superintendent of Schools.

MUSIC REPORT

I hereby submit my report as Music Supervisor of the schools of Charlestown, South Charlestown and North Charlestown.

I hope that music in the elementary grades and all the grades will make the child first happier and more sensitive to beauty; as a socializing force shall enable him to adjust himself sympathetically to his environment.

Secondly, that the material and plan of study will offer exploratory opportunities in which the teacher and parents may discover the latent capacities and interests of the child and in which the child will find himself musically. This opportunity is offered to the child through the free instrumental instructions which are given by the music department.

Third, that this organized experience shall set up influences which will serve the child as recreational, cultural, avocational, and vocational guidance in the development of his ultimate relationship with music.

A great deal of work and stress has been placed not only in the elementary grades but throughout all the grades including the Junior High and High School, so that pupils may gain concepts of characteristic tone qualities and a background of pitch relation through hearing, singing and playing.

The objective of music in the intermediate grades has been to convert earlier general musical experiences into conscious power by presenting interesting and beautiful music, so that pupils will develop a reasonable degree of power in the technic of reading music.

The Junior High Glee Club consists of twenty students who chose the course as an elective and rehearse once a week. They have sung at Junior High Assemblies and will later sing in public.

We have also organized a Junior High Orchestra of fourteen members which is meeting once a week and rehearsing very diligently for some near future public appearance.

In the Senior High we have three Music Organizations. The Mixed Glee Club, fifteen members, the Girls Glee Club, thirteen members and the Orchestra, fifteen members. The Glee Clubs each meet once a week and the Orchestra twice a week, the different orchestral sections receiving individual instruction.

These organizations have played and sung during the Senior High Assemblies, and the Junior High Play. They also performed at a special Thanksgiving and Christmas Program held during Senior High Assembly.

At present plans are under way for the coming performance of the yearly Operetta.

There are thirty students studying piano, seven violin, five trumpet and four clarinets. Parents would do well to encourage their children. No number is great. The more that study, the greater orchestral organization the school will have.

I wish to thank Superintendent Walter L. Mason, Headmaster John Lylis, Principal Waldo Streeter, for their helpful suggestions and cooperation; the faculty and the grade teachers with whom I come in contact daily for their willingness to work and cooperate with the music department.

Respectfully submitted,

CAROL GIANNARAKOS,

Supervisor of Music

VITAL STATISTICS

REGISTERED IN THE

TOWN OF

CHARLESTOWN, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1942

Births registered in the Town of Charlestown, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1942.

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Stillborn	No Child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name Mother	Residence of Parents
Jan 12	Bellows Falls Vt	William Carl	M		3		Roger Carl Pelton	Veronica H Soucie	Charlestown
Feb 1	Charlestown N H	Gerald Lester	M		5		Frank H Wilcox	Ada M Benware	So Charlestown
12	Claremont N H	Louise Lyon	F		1		Everett H Thurston	Louise Emma Kendall	Charlestown
21	Charlestown N H	Beverley Marie	F		3		Allen Ward Clarke	Lillian Belle Harper	"
23	Charlestown N H	Norman Harry	M		9		Norman H Benware	Dorothy Kinney	So Charlestown
March 1	Langdon N H	Eugene Nelson Jr.	M		4		Nelson Peter Pecor	Annie E Allison	Langdon
14	Rockingham Vt	Catherine Anne	F		3		Joseph S Konesko	Stella Augustinowicz	So Charlestown
18	Rockingham Vt	Eloise Lillian	F		2		Clarence Norris Ellis	Jennie Arliss Pitkin	Charlestown
23	Rockingham Vt	Nancy Lee	F		2		Walter Guy Smith	Olive M Sylvester	"
23	So Charlestown N H	Dorothy Mary	F		3		Henry Earl Benware	Bertha McG Benware	So Charlestown
April 10	Rockingham Vt	Gail Estelle	F		2		Arthur Henry Pelton	Verna Elizabeth Davis	"
14	Rockingham Vt	Barry Freeman	M		1		Gerald Hale Prouty	Mildred Lena Barry	Charlestown
May 7	Claremont N H	Lois Marie	F		3		John Noller Baldwin	Dorothy V Johnson	No Charlestown
25	Charlestown N H	Winfred Wesley	F		2		Wesley F Swan	Gertrude M LaForge	Charlestown
June 1	Claremont N H	Eugene Robert	M		2		Dana LeR Templeton	Lois Bernice Rogers	No Charlestown
1	Rockingham Vt	Robert Alexander	M		2		Fullam Lyford Ripley	Ernestine A Adams	Charlestown
13	Claremont N H	Robert Harry	M		1		Harry Edgar Bean	Cornelia Sara Garten	"

June	17	Rockingham Vt	Lauria Ann	F			Leo Felix Poisson	Ann Yolande Lowe	Charlestown
July	29	Rockingham Vt	John Ronald	M	2	1	John Francis Collins	Frances Agnes Lynch	"
	30	Rockingham Vt	Janes Marie	F	2	2	Raymond W Davis	Rita Mary L Mohan	"
Aug	8	Rockingham Vt	James William	M	3	3	Edward R Fairbanks	Eleanor Chamberlain	"
	14	Rockingham Vt	William Paul	M	3	3	John A Benjamin	Phyllis Carrie Kemp	"
	17	Rockingham Vt	Donald Everett	M	4	4	Howard E Frohock	Gertrude Stanford	So Charlestown
Sept	8	Claremont N H	Emery Nelson	M	4	4	George Emory Morse	Aldea Oliva Collion	No Charlestown
	10	Athol Mass	Richard Lot	M	1	1	Frederick D Rowe	Jeanne Hause	Charlestown
	13	Rockingham Vt	Maxwell Davis	M	5	5	Percy Gilman Sargent	Eda Pauline Davis	"
	14	Claremont N H	Michael Walter	M	1	1	Walter D O'Hearne	Beatrice M Stoughton	No Charlestown
Oct	22	Windsor Vt	Donna Lee	F	1	1	Donald L Woods	Jessie Eva Dillant	Charlestown
	2	Claremont N H	Peter David	M	1	1	George David Goodhue	Mary Arline Smart	"
	26	Charlestown N H	William George	M	5	5	Robert B Porter	Ellen H Brown	"
	27	Rockingham Vt	Wayne Allan	M	1	1	Henry F Theborge	Elaine Lillian Emery	"
Nov	9	Rockingham Vt	John Walter	M	3	3	Cardette A Duval	Marguerite Company	"
	9	Rockingham Vt	Elaine Marie	F	2	2	Burdett W Pease	Elizabeth C Jones	"
	16	Bellevue Falls Vt	Robert Richard	M	2	2	George Robert Willis	Beatrice V Whitaker	"
	19	Bellevue Falls Vt	Kenneth Richard	M	1	1	Richard A Stanley	Marion Ivie Barber	"
Dec	10	Bellevue Falls Vt	Robert Delmer	M	3	3	Robert D B Davis	Margaret M Scranton	No Charlestown
	12	Bellevue Falls Vt	Patricia Jane	F	1	1	Clayton Parks Stearns	Julia Eva Bashaw	Charlestown
	17	Claremont N H	William Berton	M	1	1	William E Hartley	Priscilla Adams	"

Marriages registered in the Town of Charlestown, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1942.

Date	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Color	Occupation of Each	Birthplace of Each
Jan 23	Walpole N H	Eugene Victor Daley	Charlestown N H	21		Radio Operator	Brooklyn N Y
31	Charlestown N H	Lillian Grace Perra	Charlestown N H	18		At Home	Center Harbor N H
		James Henry Child	W Hartford Conn	21		Machinist	Farmington N H
Feb 14	Charlestown N H	Margaret Loraine Comstock	Charlestown N H	26		Railway Express	Springfield Vt
		Walter Clarence Duffany	Bellows Falls Vt	30		Machine Shop	Cornwall Vt
14	Keene N H	Norma Della Bacon	Bellows Falls Vt	20		Housework	Colchester Vt
		Percy Gilman Sargent	Haverhill N H	33		Machinist	Craftsbury Vt
April 11	Charlestown N H	Eda Pauline Burrington	Charlestown N H	28		Unemployed	Jay N Y
		Arthur Frederick Brault Jr	Newport N H	22		Senior Guard D J	Quincy Mass
21	Bellows Falls Vt	Nathalie Maude Boudette	Charlestown N H	26		Child Nurse	Claremont N H
		Richard Artimus Stanley	S Charlestown N H	23		Mechanic	West Halifax Vt
May 26	Charlestown N H	Marion Ivie Barber	Charlestown N H	18		None	So Lunenburg Vt
		Frank Freitas Jr	Springfield Vt	23		Machinist	Westport Mass
30	Claremont N H	Mary Catherine Krupsky	Springfield Vt	23		None	Springfield Vt
		John P St Marie	N Charlestown N H	22		Meat Cutter	Swanton Vt
June 2	Charlestown N H	Rita A Goyette	Claremont N H	25		Registered Nurse	Springfield Vt
		Vernon George Jones	Springfield Vt	36		Machinist	Athol Mass
		Vera May Ballou	New York N Y	26		Infant Nurse	Corinth N Y

June	14	Merrimack N H	Roscoe Wilson Brown	Charlestown N H	34	Service Engineer	Haverhill N H
	20	No Walpole N H	Lois Ann Parker	Merrimack N H	25	School Teacher	So Merrimack N H
July	4	Charlestown N H	Alfred John Bushway	Walpole N H	22	Box Maker	Walpole N H
	18	Charlestown N H	Natalie Janet Roy	Charlestown N H	18	Student	Bellows Falls Vt
	25	No Walpole N H	Preston Stowell Shaw	Charlestown N H	21	Machinist	Charlestown N H
Aug	29	Claremont N H	Albertine Christine Burns	Charlestown N H	21	Harddresser	Charlestown N H
Sept	19	Charlestown N H	John Lindsay Freese	Charlestown N H	23	Machinist	Whitefield N H
	24	Charlestown N H	Barbara Exene Rowe	No Walpole N H	29	Teacher	Springfield Vt
	5	Charlestown N H	Harold Edward Kane	Charlestown N H	27	U S Navy	No Walpole N H
	11	Charlestown N H	Hilda Marie Wright	Charlestown N H	27	Secretary	Bellows Falls Vt
Dec	7	Lebanon N H	Nathaniel Ford Brooks	Claremont N H	21	Clerk	Rockport Texas
			Anita Marie Trudel	Charlestown N H	29	Telephone Opr	Claremont N H
			Kenneth Wesson	Charlestown N H	27	Carpenter	Phillipston Mass
			Ruby Willis Hall	Bellows Falls Vt	20	Housekeeper	Phillipston Mass
			Alexander Joseph Bolaski	Charlestown N H	20	Machinist	Bellows Falls Vt
			Pearl Louise Brown	Charlestown N H	20	At Home	Franklin N H
			Cleo Albert Chapman	Charlestown N H	43	Machinist	Reading Vt
			Helen Maria Streeter	Charlestown N H	32	School Teacher	Charlestown N H
			George Paul Lachesky	Butler Pa	19	U S Army	Butler Pa
			Hilda Elizabeth Royce	Charlestown N H	17	At Home	Charlestown N H
			Harold A Streeter	Lebanon N H	23	U S Army	SCharlestown N H
			Harriette L Chandler		21	Student	East Ware N H

Al White

Deaths registered in the Town of Charlestown, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1942

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Condition	Occupation
1942										
Jan 14	Barre Vt	Thomas Harty	62	5	27	Hubbardston Mass	M		M	Molder
26	Charlestown N H	Abbie Davis	89	10	29	Landgrove Vt	F		W	Housewife
Feb 14	Charlestown N H	George H Pero	72	4		Unknown	M		W	Machinist
27	Charlestown N H	Harriet B Cheever	74	7	20	Georgeville P Q	F		W	Housewife
March 2	Unity N H	Willis E Snow	85	2	9	Otis Mass	M		W	Engineer
5	Unity N H	Albert E Smith	66	5	13	Charlestown N H	M		S	Laborer
19	Charlestown N H	James Kristian Neilson	66	7	23	Ronders Denmark	M		M	Molder
April 7	Hanover N H	Roger Beaudry	1	1	21	Newport Center Vt	M		S	None
14	Hanover N H	Chester A Erskine	58	1	15	Charlestown N H	M		W	Retired Superintendt
May 12	Rockingham Vt	Mary Josephine Hearn	74	9		So Charlestown N H	F	All White	S	Retired
June 5	Charlestown N H	Justin A Frizzell	67	7	6	Canaan Vt	M		W	Retired
5	Rockingham Vt	Harry E Buswell	60	5	27	Acworth N H	M		M	SelfEpld TownOfficer
23	Charlestown N H	Bertha Kempton Dunham	69	11	27	North Pomfret Vt	F		M	Housewife

July	4	Charlestown N H	Arthur Antoine Bashaw	25	5 20	So Charlestown N H	M	S	Laborer
	9	Rockingham Vt	Robert Burns	49	2 26	Charlestown N H	M	S	R R Section
	11	N Charlestown N H	Fernando Robert Huot	19	10 18	Lac Mangantic P Q	M	S	Baker
	14	Charlestown N H	Caroline Hassam Randall	92	9 25	Charlestown N H	F	W	None
Sept	10	Bellows Falls Vt	Janie P Wheeler	84	3 14	Lempster N H	F	M	Housewife
	12	Hanover N H	Marjory Katherine Young	41	6 21	Hinesburg Vt	F	M	Housewife
	21	Hartford Vt	George E Cossitt	53	8	Claremont N H	M	D	Barber
Oct	14	Charlestown N H	Lucy M Cooley White	86	11 16	Chicopee Mass	F	W	Homemaker
	19	Charlestown N H	Charles Edward Mulligan	63		Uxbridge Mass	M	S	Wool Carder
	25	Charlestown N H	Clara M Clark	73	1 23	Freeman Maine	F	M	Housewife
Nov	6	Keene N H	Lida Grace Sawyer	42	7 26	Swanton Vt	F	M	Housewife
	16	Charlestown N H	Hazel M Venette	52	8	7	F	M	Housewife
Dec	3	N Charlestown N H	Christabel Annette Morse	12	10 5	No Charlestown N H	F	S	Student
	18	Rockingham Vt	Charles H Davidson	53	4 28	Reading Vt	M	M	Machinery Mfg
	25	Northampton Mass	Alexander Valdrov	50		Holyoke Mass	M	S	Clerk

I hereby certify that the above returns of births, marriages and deaths are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM S. FAIRBANKS, Town Clerk.



BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN, N. H.

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR FEBRUARY 1, 1943 TO JANUARY 31, 1944

COMPARED WITH

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR FEBRUARY 1, 1942 TO JANUARY 31, 1943

SOURCES OF REVENUE	ACTUAL REVENUE 1942	ESTIMATED REVENUE 1943	INCREASE	DECREASE	PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	ACTUAL EXPENDITURES 1942	ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES 1943	INCREASE	DECREASE
FROM STATE:					CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:				
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 3,177.51	\$ 2,500.00	\$	\$ 677.51	General Government:	\$ 1,972.50	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 227.50	\$
Railroad Tax	2,536.30	2,450.00		86.30	Town Officers' Salaries	739.14	700.00		39.14
Savings Bank Tax	425.00	400.00		25.00	Election and Registration Expenses	391.20	150.00		241.20
For Fighting Forest Fires	56.90			56.90	Municipal Court Expenses	100.00	125.00		25.00
					Expenses Town Hall	805.20	900.00		94.70
					Protection of Persons and Property:				
					Police Department and Tramps	459.83	500.00		40.17
					Fire Department	1,247.60	1,200.00		47.60
					Care of Trees	344.10	400.00		55.90
					Insurance	144.91	150.00		5.09
					Health:				
	22.00	22.00			Health Department	70.06	100.00		29.94
					Vital Statistics	69.00	69.00		
	100.00	100.00			Sewer Maintenance	540.51	1,200.00		659.49
	412.00	350.00		62.00	Highways and Bridges:				
	329.55	300.00		29.55	Town Maintenance	7,465.94	8,000.00		534.06
	584.22	400.00		184.22	Street Lighting	1,911.00	1,915.00		4.00
	2,625.39	1,500.00		1,125.39	Town Road Aid	699.51			699.51
					Surface Treatment	777.54	1,500.00		722.46
					Libraries:				
					Libraries	700.00	700.00		
	2,127.56	5,514.03	3,386.47		Public Welfare:				
					Town Poor	1,698.93	1,800.00		101.07
					Old Age Assistance	1,610.70	1,610.70		
					Patriotic Purposes:				
					Memorial Day, Other Celebrations	144.90	75.00		69.90
					War Emergency	144.40	300.00		155.60
					Recreation:				
					Swimming Pool	64.80	200.00		135.20
	2,134.00	2,134.00			Public Service Enterprises:				
	102.00	102.00			Cemeteries	630.95	800.00		169.05
					Interest:				
					On Temporary Loans	183.43	200.00		16.57
					OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS:				
					Highways and Bridges:				
					Town Construction	527.61			527.61
					New Equipment	1,890.00			1,890.00
					PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:				
					County Taxes	8,486.45	7,500.00		986.45
					Payments to School Districts	27,000.00	30,000.00		3,000.00
					TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$60,740.31	\$62,294.70	\$ 5,975.80	\$ 4,421.41
TOTAL REVENUES	\$14,632.43	\$62,294.70	\$ 3,386.47	\$ 2,246.87					

Assessed valuation previous year
Estimated valuation for 1943
Amount required by Budget

\$1,967,295.00
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\$ 46,522.67

TAX RATE ENSUING YEAR PER \$100.00 VALUATION

\$ 2.37

Every appropriation of \$1,000.00 in addition to this Budget will raise the tax rate .06 per \$100.00 valuation.

Signed

FRANK W. HAMLIN, Chairman
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